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Slovak Battalion In Revolt

Refusal To Entrain To Fight Poles

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Nazi Advance Slows Down: Big Battles: Warsaw Defence Broken Through?

PARIS, September 12.

A Slovak Battalion has refused to entrain for the Polish Front, the officers and men declaring that they would not fight the Poles, according to a Havas Agency message from Bratislava.

It is stated that the Battalion was disarmed and interned in barracks in Bratislava. Several arrests have been made. Flights by Slovak airmen have been forbidden.

BIG BATTLES

LONDON:—Big battles are taking place in Poland where the position is still obscure with German and Polish reports conflicting.

It is clear that Warsaw is still in Polish hands and fighting is going on some miles from the City, though the bombing of the City continues.

BEHIND NAZI LINES

A correspondent behind the German lines gives the German casualties at between twelve to fifteen thousand in Poland. Casualties have been specially heavy in the fighting during the last two days.

RAINS TO RESCUE?

"The Daily Mail" reports that the three months' drought was broken yesterday by heavy rains which are already troubling the German heavily.

The Polish Embassy has no confirmation to say that at this time of the year this is very likely.

Since Napoleon's days the Polish mud has been famous.

GERMAN ADVANCE SLOWS DOWN

But Military Observers Warn Against Optimism

LONDON, Sept. 12.

A marked slowing down of the German advance is noted by all military observers. Some express the opinion that the long German lines of communication may be in danger.

Attention is drawn to the fact that the German advance has averaged twenty miles daily which is a tremendous speed even for mechanised sections and is tiring the troops and creating the risk of running out supplies especially for tanks and heavy armoured vehicles which are the greediest consumers of petrol.

The Poles have thus an opportunity to dig in and a temporary deadlock may ensue, but all observers warn against optimism.

The Pole's position in the so-called Poznan Pocket to the west of Warsaw, about 120 miles long and fifty north and south enclosed on both sides by Germans, causes anxiety.

Two railways hitherto unnoticed in German strategy are now worth watching—in the north the Koenigsberg Bilystok and in the south Cracow-Przemysl-Lwow which might be of very formidable assistance to Germans in developing attacks on the right and left flanks of the New Polish positions between the Vistula and the Bug River.

"General weather" will be the greatest ally of the Poles.—Reuter.

DESERTIONS FROM NAZI FORCES

PARIS: SEPT. 12.

REPORTS RECEIVED IN PARIS CONFIRM THAT A GERMAN OFFICER AND 20 GERMAN SOLDIERS HAD DESERTED AT HUNNINGUE. THE GERMAN OFFICER STATED THAT IF A PONTOON BRIDGE WERE PLACED ACROSS THE RHINE, THOUSANDS MORE GERMAN SOLDIERS WOULD DESERT. —REUTER.

PICTURE OF DEFENCE OF WARSAW

BASLE, Sept 12.

A picture of the defence of Warsaw given by the Riga correspondent of the "Basler Nachrichten" shows that every available person including women, old men and children are helping to barricade the Capital with old trams, railway carriages and air raid debris.

According to the Berlin correspondent of the same paper it is expected in Berlin that operations around Warsaw will cause serious losses to the German

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Wanted experienced Travelling Salesmen for Silk Apparels, Novelties. Handsome salary. Apply personally C. D. Chuhermal. Bhagwan Mansion, first floor, behind Metro Cinema. (12251)

Wanted experienced pipe fitters also mechanical draughtsman outstations. Apply "Daboo" & Co., 4th floor, Ismail Bldg., 331, Hornby Road. (12252)

Wanted: Candidates for Station Master's training. Allowance Rs. 30. Free quarter. Rail fare paid. Apply with 0-1-6 to the Superintendent, Railway Telegraph Training School, Barh-Shah-Boola, Delhi. (12253)

Wanted Manager, Accountant Canvassers for Press. Pay 30-40-60. Apply Shrivastavya 12, Poddar Blocks, Santacruz. (12235)

Wanted Supervisers on Rs. 100 per month with T.A. in every District. Bright prospect for good workers. Eastern National Bank. Ltd., 21-A., Canning Street, Calcutta. (248)

Organisers Wanted.—Monthly salary Rs. 50. Apply with -/4/- as. stamps for reply. Neo-Chemical Works, Dacca. (12245)

43 SITUATIONS WANTED.

Civil Engineer—Indian, 36, brilliant career in theoretical, practical work in Europe, America, Africa, desires to return to India. Knows well English, French, German, Portuguese. Speaks, understands Hindustani, Spanish, Italian. Seeks responsible position in building enterprise, technical college. Will send "curriculum vitae" and credentials to those interested. Box No. 537, "Bombay Chronicle."

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To Let.—A spacious well lighted, attractive Showroom and Office, "At Malabar View" facing Chowpatty Sea Face, rent very moderate. Apply: Popatlal Manilal Padraker, 35, Chowpatty Sea Face, Bombay No. 7. 'Phone No. 27305 (12237)

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SUREN PIRAS & CO.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY INFORMED that MR. W. T. SUREN is the sole proprietor of the business carried on in the name of Suren Piras & Company. Mr. Suren is a British subject by birth. Suren Piras & Co. is therefore a British firm and is not in any way affected by those provisions of the Defence of India Ordinance 1939, which regulate the business of enemy firms, or by any other Ordinances or Notification relating to the present emergency. The business of the firm continues as usual.

999.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the certificate for One Deferred Share No. D 1085 of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, Limited, standing in the name of Jehangir Bamansha Vakil has been lost or mislaid and the undersigned has applied to the Company to issue a duplicate certificate for the said share. Any person who has a claim in respect of the said share should lodge such claim with the Company at its registered office, Bombay House, 24, Bruce Street, Fort, Bombay, within one month from this date, else the Company will proceed to issue a duplicate share certificate.

JEHANGIR BAMANSHA VAKIL.
Dated 13/9/39.

12255.

Legal Notices

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

INSOLVENCY NO. 91 OF 1939.

Re: YESHWANT VITHAL BAGKAR, of Bombay residing at Jiwaji Road, Chikhalwady, Grant Road, Bombay: ..... A Debtor.
Ex parte: PARKHA NATHA & CO: ... Petitioning Creditors.

On the 8th day of September, 1939, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1939.

S. J. RAHIMTOOLA,
Insolvency Registrar.
1,000.

62. TO BE LET.

To let for high class Hindus Blooks with all modern facilities on Plots 696 and 699 behind Hanuman Temple, Dadar. For rent inquire on spot or dial 25757. (12185)

63. FLATS TO LET

To Let—At Cambata Building, Churchgate Reclamation, a large commodious up-to-date flat, just vacated by German Consulate, absolutely suitable for a large office. Apply Manager on premises. (12239)

To Let—Meher-abad, Marine Drive, facing sea, most luxurious two and three bed room flats. Bombay's best locality and unique situation. Wonderfully cool and pleasant. Apply P. Master, 'phone 23217. Attractive rents. (12250).

327. AGENTS WANTED

Wanted agents throughout India on Rs. 75 P.M. or on commission apply to Delhi Calendar Mfg., Co., Delhi. (12227)

347. LOANS AND MORTGAGES

Persons willing to get loans without any security for business purposes may apply with -/2/- stamps for particulars to Box No. 12240, "Bombay Chronicle."

Public Notices

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY

NOTICE

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the work noted below and will be received upto 1 P.M. (Bombay Time) on FRIDAY, 22nd of September, 1939.

"Contract for Works in the construction of a Primary School at Sukhlaji Street."

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner and delivered at the Office of the Chief Accountant, Bombay Municipality, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the description of the tender.

Forms of tender, specification, etc., will be issued to anyone deputed to receive them on payment of Rs. 5/- for each tender copy by the undersigned, who will, on application give any further information that may be required.

In case of a firm, the names of all the partners must invariably be specified in the tender.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Sd.) N. V. MODAK,
City Engineer.

Municipal Offices,
Bombay, 9-9-39.

(1001)

Legal Notices

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES, MADRAS.

Suit No. 3378 of 1939.

THE INDIAN TEXTILES Co. ..... Plaintiff.
vs.
DR. L. N. TANDON... Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the defendant who last resided at No. 61/63, Walkeshwar Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay, that the above suit against him stands posted before the second Judge, for the 21st September, 1939, at 11 a.m. for disposal.

N. K. MOHANARUNGA PILLAY,
Advocate for Plaintiff.
(996)

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. LALJI NATHOO, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant has contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property.

All persons having any claim to or against or interest in the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, incumbrance, lien, charge, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 65, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, as otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim or interest not so made known in writing as aforesaid and the same will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece of land, containing an area of three hundred and eighty-nine square yards or thereabouts situate on and being Plot No. 33 of the Lalbag Estate of the Bombay Municipality in the City and Island and Sub-registration District of Bombay, together with the buildings and structures standing thereon and bounded, on the North-East by Plot No. 32 of the said Estate, on the South-East by Governor's Road, on the South-West by Plot No. 34 of the said Estate and on the North-West by a road twenty feet in width, which piece of land forms portion of lands bearing New Survey No. 2567 and Cadastral Survey No. 74 and assessed by the Municipality formerly under F Ward No. 593 (4), Street No. 1C but now under 14 (F) Ward No. 593 (4) and Street Nos. 212-20.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1939.

MOHILE PAREKH & MANECKLAL,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(997)

TO-DAY MATINEE AT 1 P.M.
Being Amavas. Come & See
Shree Ranjit's Colossal Classic
SANT TULSIDAS
Directed by: JAYANT DESAI
TWELFTH GREAT WEEK AT
OPERA HOUSE
DAILY: 4, 7 & 10 P.M.

Auction Sales

GANDHI & CO.
Government Auctioneers.

SALE THIS DAY.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES AT UMARKHADY ROAD.

MESSRS. GANDHI & CO., Auctioneers will, under instructions from Messrs. N. C. Dalal and Co. Attorneys for the Mortgagee and on account and at the risk of Gulamali Gulamhusein Curimbhoy the Mortgagor, in exercise of the Power of Sale reserved to the Mortgagee under the Indenture of Mortgage dated 4th day of August 1931 Transfer of Mortgage dated the 2nd day of July 1933, further charge and Mortgage dated the 2nd day of July 1935 and Transfer of Mortgage dated the 9th day of September 1936 and further charge dated the 9th day of September 1936, sell by Public Auction the undermentioned immovable properties THIS DAY WEDNESDAY the 13th day of September 1939, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises.

FIRSTLY:—All that piece of Fazandari land (now redeemed) the Fazandar whereof was the Church of Nossa Senhora D'Esperance together with the dwelling house situate in the South side of Umarkhady Road admeasuring 231 square yards or thereabouts but 226 square yards as per Cadastral Survey register and which said premises are assessed by the Municipality under B. Ward Nos. 3523, 3524 and 3551 and Street Nos. 36, 38, 75, 77 and by the Collector under New Survey No. 3646 (part) and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 1973 of Mandvi Division.

SECONDLY:—All that piece of freehold land (set forward land) together with buildings erected thereon situate at the Junction of the 1st and 2nd Umarkhady Road admeasuring 28.60 square yards or thereabouts and bearing C. S. No. 1973 (part) of Mandvi Division and assessed by the Municipality under B. Ward Nos. 3523, 3524 and 3551 Street No. 40, 2-12A.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. N. C Dalal & Co., Attorneys for the Mortgagee or to the Undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF ALL STOCK-IN-TRADE, MACHINERY, FURNITURE ETC. OF THE PRANDI CHOCOLATE FACTORY.

Messrs. GANDHI & CO., Auctioneers, will under instructions from Messrs. Desai & Co., Attorneys for Sheth Girdharlal Tricumlal, the Mortgagee and on account and at the risk of the Parties concerned, sell by Public Auction all Stock-In-Trade, Machinery, Furniture etc., of the Prandi Chocolate Factory on Wednesday the 20th day of September 1939 at 3-30 P.M. (S.T.) at Compartment "D" 15 of Port Trust Godown No 173, Sassoon Dock, Colaba.

PARTICULARS.

Roasting, Crushing, Mixing, Refining Machines, Cocoa press, Electric Motors, Kelvinator Compressors, Electric Stove, Hydraulic Pumps, Butter Machines, Charanas, Avery Scale, Stock of Labels, Furniture such as Steel & wooden Cupboards, Tables, Chairs etc.

Terms:—25 Per Cent Deposit.

AUCTION SALE OF 1343 BALES. JAVA SUGAR.

Messrs. GANDHI & CO., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 15th September, 1939 at 2-30 P.M. (S.T.) by order of Messrs. Rustomji & Ginwala Attorneys for Sheth Liladhar Purshottam Thacker, the Pledger at their Godown at No. 324, Kharek Bazar, and on account and at the risk of Pledger Sha. Chhabildas Khimchand, Insolvent:—

1343 Bales Java Sugar.
Terms:—25 P. C. Deposit.

The above goods will be sold in convenient lots.

GANDHI & CO.,

3RD WEEK
ALEXANDER KORDA presents
FOUR FEATHERS
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MAINLY ABOUT "LIFE'S FOR LIVING"

SHANTARAM
Thou Shalt Not Be A Film Critic!

STUDIO SPY'S COLUMN

The outbreak of the war does seem to have made Bombay producers nervous.

Among themselves, I learn, the producers have decided drastically to cut down their expenditure on publicity and advertisements. Film magazines and newspapers stand to lose a large amount of money if the decision is put into immediate effect.

CUTS IN STARS' SALARIES?

It is also believed that several studios are seriously contemplating retrenchment of their personnel. One important studio is said to have given notice to over 100 employees. It is not unlikely that stars will be asked to suffer cuts in their salaries. Such a move, however, will meet with a determined resistance on the part of the leading players.

All this is due to the threatened rise in the cost of production. From enquiries made in trade circles, however, I find that there has been no appreciable rise in the prices of raw films, and all studios (except those that were depending exclusively on German stock) are getting their required footage quite regularly.

RETURN OF J. S. CASSHYAP

Believe it or not, J. S. Casshyap, the well-known dialogue writer, has returned to the Bombay Talkies fold from Ranjit whither he had migrated a few months earlier.

At the Malad Studios, "Kangan" is nearing completion. By beginning of October it will be released—not perhaps in Bombay.

By the way, this is the last week of "Durga" at the Roxy. There is still time to see Devika Rani's fine work in this film

I Hear—

That Renuka Devi (of "Bhabi" fame) has been blessed with a girl baby.

That Film Corporation of India Ltd. have acquired the services of Pandit Onkar Nath, well-known musician, who will appear in the title role of "Mahatma Kabir".

That "Swastik" of Mohan Pictures is causing a lot of headache to the local censors.

That one of the Directors of a studio (whose latest picture is also running in town) went to see "Admi" and came out disappoined.

Evidently he does not find life worth living!

HATS OFF TO A GREAT "ADMI"!

The Film Critic Salutes Shantaram

By K. AHMAD ABBAS

"I would be a film critic if I could live again", said Director-Producer Shantaram of Prabhat in an interview with the Film Correspondent of a local Anglo-Indian daily.

AFTER SEEING HIS LATEST PRODUCTION "ADMI" (LIFE'S FOR LIVING), I HAVE DECIDED THAT WE SHOULD REFUSE TO TAKE SHANTARAM IN CUR FOLD. IF NECESSARY WE SHOULD SEEK THE AID OF LAW TO STOP HIM FROM TAKING THIS FATAL STEP.

There are many film critics in India—good, bad and indifferent. But there are only two Directors who have vindicated their names by consistently producing good pictures—Shantaram and Nitin. "Admi" promises to be the greatest Indian film of 1939 as "Unexpected" and "President" were the most outstanding films of 1937.

No. In the interests of the national film industry, Shantaram cannot be allowed to forsake film direction for film criticism.

No superlative, no "strong mighty words, hand-picked from dictionaries", shall be used in this review of "Admi," the Prabhat film at Central.

No superlatives shall be used, for "Admi" is not a 'superlative' production! It is not Glorious, Glamorous nor Gorgeous, it is not the Deathless Saga of this, that or the other, it is far from being spectacular, and it definitely is not colossal.

Above all, it is not a poem in celluloid.

It is none of these things, for life is none of these things. Life—at least for most of us—is neither glamorous nor spectacular and its reality cannot be expressed in the rosy tints of poetry but only in the stark black and white of prose.

WHAT PRICE REALISM!

Shantaram scrupulously avoids the conventional cliches and tricks of the 'destructive' directors (oh, yes, like 'destructive' critics, there are any number of 'destructive' directors also—they destroy Art and murder common sense). He eschews both the rose-and-nightingale romanticism and the tear-stained, hysterical outbursts against society. He hitches his wagon not to the stars but to the earth. Realism is the key-note of "Admi."

Realism! It is a slippery word, not half as real as it sounds. Much charitanry has been perpetrated in its name in the realm of Art. Someone paints a pornographic picture and labels it "Realism." Another cuts the nude human torso into half, draws an inverted wine glass on one side and Hitler's moustaches on the other and calls it "Surrealism."

Then again, 'comrades' in red ties are sometimes found stormily protesting, in the name of 'realism,' against films about saints, forgetting that (however much we may dislike it) religion is a deep-rooted reality in India and that to a peasant the sight of a girl in breeches travelling in an aeroplane is far more unreal than Sant Tukaram flying away on the back of a heavenly bird.

Realism, then, does not necessarily mean nudity and textile factories. It is rather an attitude of mind—analytical, unhampered by dogma and concerned with the representation and interpretation of things as they are, with a view to broadening and deepening our understanding of our fellow-beings. Thus 'realism' is more than merely 'photographic' reproduction or a draughtsman's accuracy.

In the hands of a man (like Shantaram) who clearly understands the genesis of social phenomena and has a passion for social justice, it becomes a mighty instrument of progress and reform.

PORTRAIT OF A PROSTITUTE

It is in this light alone that we can fully appreciate the vital significance of "Admi"—and the true worth of the man who dared to produce it.

More than anything else, personally I like this daring spirit in Shantaram. In 1937 he dared to produce "Unexpected," a picture without the romance motif, which dramatized a girl's bold defiance of society, in refreshing contrast to the fatalism of Devdases and Achhut Kannyas. In 1938 he dared not to produce a picture. In 1939 he has dared to produce "Admi," the story of a common prostitute and her heroic struggle to escape from the evil shadow in which she had been condemned to live.

It is a full length portrait, drawn with sympathy and (what is rarer) with understanding, not smothered with an excess of pity and saved from becoming a wooden symbolic figure by little, subtle touches which bring out individual traits of character.

We are not invited to cry over the miseries of Kesar, the prostitute. That would be an insult to such a brave soul. The pathos that is implicit in her personality is heightened by her emotional restraint, by the gay front she maintains. It is only very rarely that she is forced to reveal how disgusted she is with her mode of life and even then she expresses herself with a healthy cynicism and a devastating sarcasm rather than cheap hysterics.

THERE MAY BE MORE KESARS!

With infinite tact and imagination, and helped by an intelligent interpretation of the role by vivacious and versatile Shanta Hubliker, the scenarist and the director have built up this portrait of Kesar—her gay abandon, her whimsical moods, her courage, her passion for self-reform and, finally, her doubts about her own worth (born not out of cowardice or lack of self-respect but forced on her by a superstitious, taboo-ridden social order) which engulf her like hungry waves of the sea and cause the ultimate tragedy! For its artistic integrity and social significance, it is comparable only to Kuprin's "Yama The Pit."

Finest scene in the film: Kesar dancing merrily, surrounded by a cosmopolitan group of admirers who dissolve into a few coins lying on the floor. The reality and pathos of a prostitutes existence is more eloquently expressed in this little shot than many authors have been able to do in huge volumes. (Here is an instance of superiority of the cinema as an Art medium).

So alive and graceful and instinct with sympathy is this characterization that next time I happen to pass through a certain street and, from the upper deck of a tram, look down upon the sordid panorama it shall not be with a complacent smile of contemptuous indifference. For there, in one of those horrible cages, may be—another Kesar!

THIS "ADMI" WAS NO HERO!

Police Constable No. 255 Moti (played by Shahu Modak whose boyish personality is pleasantly hidden by a moustache and a scar) was no hero. In a way he was almost a coward.

Acting upon a natural impulse, he saved Kesar from being arrested in a gambling-den raid but next morning he almost died of shock and nervousness, when she invited him to her house. Even when he falls in love with her he is afraid of meeting her in broad daylight. He is ever fearful of what *Dunya*, the world, society, his mother, would say. He cannot summon enough courage to confess everything to his mother. He is, at moments, petty and officious as when he sees Kesar entertaining her 'customers' and creates a scene on the spot. In the end, he meekly agrees to marry the girl of his mother's choice.

Yes. He is a coward. A social coward. But then many of us, Indian youths, are like him. His weaknesses are the weaknesses of a generation. On the other hand he is far more genuine, his reactions are far more natural, than most 'heroes' of the screen. And it is because he is so mild and undemonstrative that his personal tragedy hits us harder.

Law and Order having been used for so long as an instrument of repression in India, the Police Man has come to have rather an unsavoury reputation in India, as a symbol of foreign domination. Kesar, in the opening scenes, expressed this general attitude with a proletarian candour: "Yes. We pick-pockets and you cut throats" ...and again, "*Havaldar, Thanedar*, Superintendent! Why you may even become a king if you persist in your oppression."

But I like to think that all Police Constables are not merely oppressive robots, agents of a foreign imperialism. Many of them are as good or as bad as men in any other profession, heroes and knaves, with the same problems in their personal lives. With the same daring imagination with which he chose a prostitute as a heroine, Shantaram has made a *man* out of a police-man!

ROMANTICISM DEBUNKED

But these are not the only two interesting characters in "Admi". There are others, equally vital and significant.

Of these perhaps the most likable is Mannu, the boy of the slums, working in a tea-shop, bold and resourceful as well as self-respecting despite his rags. This role, to my mind, was the ideal vehicle for Parashram (the Mansukh of 'Gopal Krishna') but under Shantaram's direction, Ram Marathe does exceedingly well, coming very near to stealing the picture in the first half.

Bai Sundrabai, as Moti's mother,—kind, gentle, religious—may be the mother of any of us, so real she is!

Then there is that lovely pair—Meghram (Buwa Saheb) and Bijli (Gouri). Their love for each other represents romance as the masses of India understand it—so real that it needs no expression, so deep-rooted that it simply thrives on domestic quarrels. Here is love with its feet firmly planted in the ground, so different from the airy, poetic romancing of modern Romeos and Juliets. And when Moti, the constable, is in danger of going off the deep-end like other frustrated lovers of the Indian screen, it is through Meghram that the voice of common sense, speaks. And this view is re-echoed in the message that Kesar sends to Moti as she is on her way to the gallows "Don't sacrifice life for love." 'Life is for living'—and not even the loss of one's sweet-heart should tempt one to betray this supreme trust! Even if the heart bleeds, one must march on, as Moti the constable does in the final scene.

This, then is the point and purpose of "Admi"—the 'moral' (if one must use that hackneyed word) of the film! And, even, if there was nothing in it, but this bold statement I would ask people to go and see it.

But, actually, there is much more. There is even plentiful entertainment—songs and satire and flashes of humour—, not superimposed from outside but well integrated in the main pattern of Bhaskarrao's excellent and original script, convincingly 'put over' through the dialogues of Kanekar and Munshi Ajiz. (These are, by the way, the best Hindustani dialogues hitherto heard in a Prabhat picture).

"Admi" seems to be on the way to achieve the miracle of being both popular and artistically distinguished.

Congratulations to Prabhat for another 'hit'. And thanks, Shantaram, for a really great picture.

Shahu Modak and Shanta Hublikar in "ADMI".

Punkaj Mullick & Kamlesh Kumari in "KAPAL KUNDALA" coming to Roxy.

JYOTI
who shows considerable histrionic improvement in "Comrades," Sagar film at Pathe.

BOMBAY FILM DIARY

CENTRAL—"Admi" (Review on this page).

CAPITOL—"Son of Zambo," jungle film of the Tarzan type, featuring Bimla Kumari and Navin-Yagnik. Popular.

IMPERIAL—"Sadhana", Sagar film, featuring Shobhana Samarth and Prem Adib unpretentious, but in some ways appealing story of village life and youthful romance. Popular. Ninth week).

LAMINGTON—"Son of Zambo."

MAJESTIC—"Netaji Palkar" (Marathi), patriotic drama round Shivaji's life, featuring Lalita Pawar and Vithal. (Seventh week.)

MINERVA—"Pukar," Minerva's fine Moghal film, starring Chandramohan, Sohrab Modi and Naseem. Should be seen.

OPERA HOUSE—"Sant Tulsidas" Ranjit's outstanding production in Marathi, starring Pagnis, Leela Chitnis, Vasantee, Datey, etc. Ideal entertainment for devotional-minded Maharashtrians. (Twelfth week.)

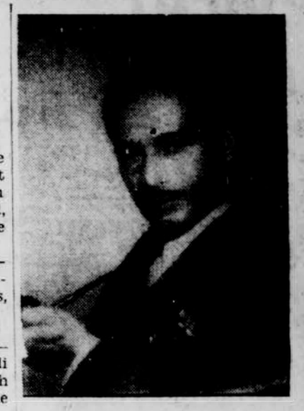
ROXY—"Comrades," Sagar film starring Surendra with Maya, Harish, Jyoti, etc. Good cast. Sentimental story.

ROXY—"Durga" starring Devika Rani with Rama Shukul, notable for Devika Rani's acting and fine rural background. Must be seen. (11th and last week.)

SUPER—"Bijli", featuring P. Jairaj and Pramilla. Prakash production.

WEST END—"Adhuri Kahani," Ranjit film, starring Durga Khote, Prithviraj, Rose and Datey. Good cast, provocative story.

NAVIN YAGNIK
as he appears in "Son Of Zambo," drawing crowded houses at Capitol and Lamington.



NITIN BOSE
one of India's two greatest Directors.

KAPAL KUNDALA —A PRE-VIEW!

Based on Bankim Chandra Chatterji's—(all nationalists know Bankim Babu as the genius who gave us the words of the beautiful Bande-Mataram) grippingly original novel of that name 'Kapal Kundal's disarmingly powerful story dates back to the days of Akbar the Great, drawing its forte from the simple, bold theme of the barbarous sadism that often masquerades, (to a much lesser extent even at the present time) under the garb and protection of religion. The 'Kapalik' who is the central figure of the story was the literal personfication and embodiment of this 'Sadism' which in his case was exceeded to stark cannibalism. Calling himself a fanatic votary of the goddess Kali, this human cenotaur had not only sacrificed 99 innocent fellow beings on the altar of the goddess, but had threaded some of their bones together and it was to supply the 100th: and last bead on this 'rosary' of human carnage that had reared up helpless, beautiful Kapal Kundala [illegible] come his cruel way as a derelict child escapee during the wreck of a Portugese pirate trawler.

This supplies the fulcrum on which Bankim Babu's powerful story hinges. Phani Mazumdar, supervised, it is authoritatively rumoured, by that master, Nitin Bose, has been entrusted with the scenario and direction of the picture.

REMEMBER CARLETTA?

Unquestionably however, the titbit of the picture promises to be, Kamlesh Kumari's dance recitals set to Pankaj Mullick's music and singing. The golden-voiced Calcutta tenor seems to be making such rapid strides both in music direction and vocal rendering that he's already India's No. 1 music director and unless Saigal bucks up, there can be no doubt as to who will be our cine-world's ace songster! Regarding Kamlesh Kumari's dancing prowess, I wonder how many of her numerous fans know that Kamlesh was once the country's leading danseuse and under the nom-de-plume Carletta had been the prima donna of one of India's best-known cabaret halls for a number of seasons? As if all this was not enough attraction, we have Lila Desai, more captivating than ever, completing the eternal triangle with India's handsomest hero Najamul Husain—Jagdish Sethi, and Sailen Choudhri (who has 'stolen' a number of Bengali productions with his fine character acting) to tempt us further into making it a point to see what certainly promises to be one of the year's outstanding screen triumphs.

JAMIL ANSARI.

Tamil Talkie Proves A Big Hit At Plaza

'Thirunnelakandar', the Tamil talkie at Plaza which was booked for three days is being continued for the whole week due to public request. The story is based on the 'Bakhti Marga', cult and revolves round Chidambaram, the centre of Shiva's dances. Though mythological in character, the film strikes a notable departure from the usual 'mythological stuff' by a historical and documentary interpretation of life and times of the Tamil Saint. From the potter and the potter's wheel, it artistically transcends to the Master-Potter who handles the clay of humanity

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Visitors Play Best Football Of Season: Grinberg's 5 Goals: Maccabi Side Good Enough For Strongest Indian Team

PALESTINE XI 8
(Grinberg 5, Werner 2 and Alemlink)
INDIAN XI .... Nil

Playing soccer of a type rarely seen in India and certainly not seen in Bombay this season, the Palestine Maccabi team, easily the sturdiest and most robust band of civilian footballers to have visited the City, fresh from a highly successful Australian tour, swamped a local selected Indian XI by eight clear goals in the 'international' match played on the Cooperage ground last evening

Even though engaging a totally unimpressive Indian side, who at no stage of the game offered the slightest opposition, the visitors gave a superb display positively worthy of the strongest soccer combinations in the country, and it was indeed a pity that such real talent was wasted on a mediocre local side and a meagre handful of spectators.

Scintillating Passes

Neat, scintillating passes, woven on an elegant scientific pattern operating in an immaculate triangular fashion from the pivot through the flanks to the spearhead, interspersed to advantage with a proportionate number of lusty kicks and long swings and culminating in what was definitely the most accurate and spectacular marksmanship seen on the Cooperage for a long time, were the distinctive feature of the Palestine team's methods of play. How far the latter were successful last evening is amply borne out by the ultimate score-card. Suffice it to say that if ever a side has been completely out-manoeuvred, outclassed and outpictured by sheer merit and superiority of its opponents it was the Indian XI which was pitched against the Maccabi footballers on Tuesday.

Barring a few corners that came their way midway in the earlier half and all proved abortive, and a couple of sporadic breakaways during the latter period, the home team were throughout desperately on the defensive.

Grinberg's Five Goals

Grinberg, their brilliant spearhead was in revelation form for the visitors not only performing a fine hat-trick but actually returning an individual tally of 5 goals.

Opening the Palestine team's account in the 6th minute of play with a well-flighted half-volley into the top left corner of the net, Grinberg who was a fitting leader to a uniformly enterprising quintette, scored two more goals in rapid succession in the 13th and 14th minute respectively, to complete a well-deserved magnificent hat-trick. (3-0). Ten minutes later Werner connected perfectly with a header with a fine pass from the left to obtain the visitors' fourth goal (4-0) and just a minute before recess Grinberg again scored in spectacular fashion to register his fourth and his side's fifth successful scoring effort. (5-0). The teams took the breather at this score.

On resumption Werner got Palestine's 6th goal with a lightning close range drive during a melee in the goalmouth in the 15th minute (6-0) and 7 minutes later Grinberg tagged his fifth goal of the evening, turning to advantage a fine centre from Schnerderowitz (7-0). Just a minute before the final whistle, Alemlink completed the visitors' tally with a stinging angular drive which left Fernandes guessing (8-0).

The Palestine team are scheduled to play the local Harwood (senior) League Champions, the South Lancs this evening, and on the strength of their revelation turnout last evening should render a brilliant account of themselves.

RESULT:
PALESTINE XI .... 8 goals
INDIAN XI .... Nil

The teams were:

PALESTINE XI Misrachi, Gunsberg and Chalan, Luberman, Fooks and Viner, Alemlink, Werner, Grinberg, Machlis and Schnerderowitz.

INDIAN XI: Fernandes (BEST) Mendon (S. Kanara) and Alvares (H.V.M.), Salian (S. Kanara), Dadoo (B.B. & C.I.) (Capt.) and Sha (Y.M.C.A.), Michael (W.I.-A.A.), J. Jesudian (Y.M.C.A.) Dakuram (W.I.A.A.) Butchi (Y.M.C.A.) and Karunakar (Caltex).

REFEREE: Mr. Ghosh.

To-day's Match
(COOPERAGE)
5-40 p.m.
PALESTINE XI
V.
SOUTH LANCS.

League Candidate Elected

PESHAWAR, Sept. 12.

In the by-election to the Frontier Assembly from the Central Haripur Muslim Rural Constituency, Mr. Sardar Bahadur, Muslim League candidate, was declared elected to-day defeating Mahomed Aslam Khan (Congress) and two others (Independent).—United Press.

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Calcutta Mail (Chheoki)	9 15	20 45
Madras Mail	6 00	22 00
Peshawar Lucknow (Exp.)	6 15	23 00
Calcutta Mail (Nagpur)	7 51	17.40
Madras Express	10 15	14 50
Poona Mail	10 30	17 30
Punjab Mail	11 40	18 45
Nagpur Express	14 05	21 25
Poona East (Pass.)	16 50	11 50
Poona Express	19 32	8 05
Allahabad Express	20 25	7 00
Deccan Queen (on Fridays only)	—	17 15
Deccan Qn. (on Mondays only)	10 55	—

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	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M
Ahmedabad Passenger	5 33	13 50
Delhi Express	6 00	22 15
Gujarat Mail	6 45	22 00
Kathiawar Mail	7 25	21 60
Frontier Mail	8 15 (Mon.)	21 15 (Sat.)
*The Flying Ranee Surat	9 48	15 10
The Flying Ranee, Surat	10 58	18 03
Ahmedabad Passenger	14 15	22 30
Kathiawar Express	15 45	8 45
Baroda Passenger	20 33	9 25

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244 metres (1,231 kc/s.)
8-0 a.m. Keep Fit! 8-10 News (H.) 8-20 News (E.) 8-30 Radio Orchestra. 8-40 Amanat Ali. 9-5 North and South. 9-20 G. M. Durrani. 9-35 Mumtaz Husain. 9-45 Bhavgeets. 9-55 AIR Chorus.
12-30 p.m. Ditties from Classics. 12-40 Songs from Screen. 12-50 Dadras from Discs. 1-0 Market Rates. 1-10 Mutual Understanding. 1-25 Inayat Khan. 1-30 Music. 2-30 Music. 2-35 Dnyaneshwar: by Prof. M. D. Altekar. 2-50 Gujarati Bhavgeets. 3-0 Geography. 6-0 Amateur Attempts. 6-20 Sadiq Ali Akhtar. 6-30 Jyotsna Bhole 7-0 Our Films-Distribution (H.), by Pandit A. Prasad. 7-15 S. A. Akhtar. 7-30 Commercial News. 7-45 Jyotsna Bhole. 8-0 Rathi Ke Dant (H.) drama by Begam Nisar Fatima. 8-30 New Books. 8-45 Nautch Dhun. 8-55 Talk of Town. 9-0 News (H.) 9-15 News (E.) 9-35 Sadiq Ali. 9-45 World Affairs by J. L. Brierly, (from B B C.) 10-0 Amanat Ali, 10-30 Epilogue.

Bombay—II Programme

31.4 metres (9,550 kc/s.)
8-0 to 10-0 a.m. and 12-30 to 3-15 p.m. As in Bombay 1.
61.48 metres (4,880 kc/s.)
6-0 to 9-35 p.m. As in Bombay 1. 9-35 Agnes Barriett: Pianoforte . 9-50 Henri Temianka:: Violin. 10-0 A Vocal Recital. 10-15 Symphony Orchestra. 10-30 Epilogue.

Delhi—I Programme

338.6 metres (886 kc/s.)
8-0 a.m. K. L. Saigal. 8-30 to 9-0 As in Bombay 2.
12-30 to 1-0 p.m. As in Bombay 2. 1-0 Sarangs. 1-25 to 2-0 As in Bombay 2. 6-10 Duet (Inst.) 6-15 Afzal Husain. 6-30 Clarionet. 6-35 Ghaffar Haidar. 6-45 B. S. Rawat. 7-0 to 7-30 As in Bombay 2. 7-30 Umra Zia Begam. 7-45 to 9-0 As in Bombay 2. 9-0 News (H.) 9-15 News (E.) 9-35 Music (E.) 9-45 World Affairs (from B B C). 10-0 to 10-30 As in Bombay 2.

Delhi—II Programme

31.3 metres (9,590 kc/s.)
8-0 to 9-0 a.m. and 12-30 to 2-30 As in Delhi 1.
60.48 metres (4,960 kc/s.)
6-0 to 9-35 p.m. As in Delhi 1. 9-35 Duets. 9-45 Zohra Jan. 10-0 to 10-30 As in Bombay 2. 10-30 Late News.

Delhi—III Programme

19.62 metres (15,290 kc/s.)
8-0 to 9-0 a.m.
12-30 to 2-30 a.m. As in Delhi 1.
31.3 metres (9,590 kc/s.)
6-0 to 9-45 As in Delhi 1.
9-45 to 10-0 As in Delhi 2.
10-0 to 10-30 As in Delhi 1.

Lahore Programme

276 metres (1,086 kc/s.)
6-0 p.m. Brij Bhushan Joshi. 6-15 Anwarbai of Amritsar 6-35 Thumriyan. 6-45 Jaltarang Recital. 6-50 Kumari Kamla Sharma. 7-0 Kartar Singh. 7-10 Brij Bhushan Joshi. 7-30 Pilu on Banjo. 7-35 Tufail Ahmad. 7-45 For Countryside. 8-15 Press Today, (H.) 8-30 Bai Laxmibai. 8-40 Anwarbai. 9-35 World Affairs by J. L. Brierly from B B C. 9-50 Brij Bhushan Joshi. 10-10 Anwarbai.

Trichy Programme

397 metres (758 kc/s.)
2-0 p.m. Violins. 2-15 Classical. 2-30 Variety from Films. 6-0 For Villages. 6-30 Shrimati S. Jayalakshmi. 7-0 Concert Programme, 5. 8-30 Interlude. 8-45 Shrimati S. Jayalakshmi of Keeranur: Flute. 9-15 News in English. 9-30 Close down.

Calcutta—I Programme

(Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time.)
370.4 metres (810 kc/s.)
10-30 a.m. Light and Instrumental.
12-30 p.m. Selections (O. and V.) 1-30 School Broadcast. 1-50 Music. 1-57 Geography. 2-17 K. Mullick 5-0 Sree Sree Brishnupriya. 6-10 For Countryside. 7-0 Sushila Devi. 7-15 Jantri Sangha. 7-30 Pankaj Kumar Ganguli. 7-50 Parul San. 8-5 Population by J. M. Dutt. 9-10 Sports Edition. 9-30 Male Voice Quartet. 9-45 Old Eng. Quintette.

Calcutta—II Programme

31.48 metres (9,530 kc/s.)
10-30 to 11-30 a.m. and 12-30 to 2-30 p.m. As in Calcutta 1.
61.98 metres (4,840 kc/s.)
5-0 to 6-10 p.m. As in Calcutta 1. 6-10 Nirmal Ch. Sen. 6-25 Leela Devi. 6-40 Ashit Mukherjee. 7-0 to 9-30 As in Calcutta 1. 9-30 Geeta Mittra. 9-50 For Assamese Listeners.

Madras—I Programme

211 metres (1,420 kc/s.)
2-0 p.m. Airing Doubts. 2-5 Babylon, by V. D. Krishnaswamy. 2-20 Music. 4-0 Variety (T.) 5-0 Kumari D. Rajamani: Voice. 5-20 K. Ragavalu of Vaideesvaran Koil. 6-0 Shrimati C. S. Rajam: Voice. 6-40 K. Raghavalu Nagasvaram. 6-55 Malayalam Programme. 7-15 Actor in the Bud: (T.) by K. Venkatraman. 7-30 Shrimatis T. Brinda and T. Mukta: Voices. 8-20 Narayana Iyengar Gottuvadyam. 8-27 Shrimatis T. Brinda and T. Mukta: Voices. 8-55 Average Citizen Interviews G. A. Johnson on World Affairs. 9-30 Olga Pires: Soprano. 9-45 Three B's. 9-57 Romance in Music. 10-19 Records (Eu.)

Madras—II Programme

31.35 metres (9,570 kc/s.)
2-0 to 2-30 p.m. As in Madras 1.
60.98 metres (4,920 kc/s.)
4-0 to 4-30 p.m. As in Madras 1.
60.98 metres (4,920 kc/s.)
5-0 to 9-30 p.m. As in Madras 1. 9-30 Maruthavakudi Rajagopala Aiyar.

Hyderabad Programme

411 metres (730 kc/s.)
5-30 p.m. Maruthi Rao. 6-0 to 6-30 For Children (Urdu). 6-30 Shamshad Bai of Jaipur. 7-0 Studio Orchestra. 7-10 "Interesting Place" by Mr. M. Maghrabi. 7-25 Maruthi Rao. 7-45 Shamshad Bai. 8-30 Records. 8-45 Shamshad Bai. 9-0 Duet. 9-15 Music (Inst.) 9-20 Maruthi Rao. 9-35 Shamshad Bai.

B B C Programme

7-30 p.m. B B C Orchestra. 8-30 Sydnew Gustard. 9-0 Bohemian Players. 9-30 News. 9-45 World Affairs, by J. L. Brierly. 10-0 Mantovani Orchestra. 10-20 and 10-55 Sports. 11-0 Paradise Isle. 11-30 News. 11-45 World Affairs, by J. L. Brierly.

BHAVNAGAR CIVIC REFORMS COMMITTEE

(From Our Correspondent)
BHAVNAGAR, Sept. 11.

State has issued an ordinance checking profiteering in medical supplies, foodstuff, kerosene, petrol, etc., and also penalties to the extent of imprisonment with fine. Naib Foujdar and officers of superior ranks are entrusted with powers to deal with the law-breakers.

All Medical stores are opened to-day as a result of personal interview with Dewan by Mr. Mahipat S. Pandya, the president of the Chemists Association.

MUNICIPAL REFORMS

Reforms Committee for the municipality consists of the following members:— Mr. Harjivandas Kalidas Mehta, ex-president of Bhavnagar State People's Conference; Dr. Keshavlal V. Thakke, ex-president of the city Municipality; Mr. Jagjivan S Parikh, of Praja Parishad and a leading member of the Bhavnagar Bar-Association; Mr. Bhaskerrao V. Mehta, Judicial secretary; and Mr. Pirojshah Damer, controller Nilanibay.

This committee as it can be seen will be with the majority of Parishad and as such likely to win the confidence of the Public

District Municipalities upto now managed by the State will be handed over to the public as reported.

There was a shower of rain yesterday evening.

FOURTH CRIMINAL SESSIONS OPEN

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The fourth criminal sessions of the High Court commenced today, Mr. Justice Sen presiding.

There are 17 cases on the calendar, out of which six are of murder, one of attempt to murder, two of forgery, two of kidnapping, one of rioting and the others of miscellaneous offences.

Kalandri Prajamandal Secretary Externed

The Secretary, Prajamandal Sirohi, wires.

Sjt. Kalyanmal, Secretary, Kalandri, (Sirohi State) Prajamandal branch has been externed He was not allowed to see his family

Role Of Science In Horrors Of Modern Warfare

(Continued from Page 12).

of knowledge that is bad. Can we not ensure that here and wherever science is taught emphasis is laid on its right use and on the blessings, and not the horrors, which it can bring? Certainly the right use of science will be most necessary to mitigate the harm done and to repair the ravages brought about by the abuse by unprincipled men of the power which knowledge can give.

It has given me the greatest pleasure to come here to-day and to open the new Institute on behalf of my husband He has asked me to say to you that it is a very great regret to him, that on account of the outbreak of war, he is unable to fulfil this engagement with you. He knows, however, that you all understand his inability to be present. He asks me to tell you that he sets great value on the fine work which the Wadia College is doing, and he will follow, as I shall too, the progress of your new Science Institute with great interest

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BOMBAY and SUBURBS

Local Engagements

To-day

Hindu: Shravan Vad 30, 1995
Muslim: Rajab 27, 1358
Parsi: Farvardin 8, 1369
Hightide: 11-37; —
Lowtide: 5-12; 17-47
Sunrise: 6h 26m.
Sunset: 6h. 44m.

Municipal Corporation, Special meeting, 4-40 p.m.
Municipal Schools Committee, 5-40 p.m.

Thursday, September 14.

Municipal Corporation, Special meeting, 4-40 and 5-10 p.m.

ARYAN EXCELSIOR LEAGUE

The 26th annual gathering and 25th Mother's Day of the Aryan Excelsior League, to-day (Wednesday), at 8 a.m. at Wilson College Hall, Chowpatty, R. B. M. W. Pradhan presiding.

MOTHER'S DAY LEAGUE

Silver jubilee of Mother's Day of the A. E. League to-day (Wednesday), at 5-30 p.m at City High School Hall, Thakurdwar Road. Mr. G. M. S. Rane presiding.

CHEQUES DELIVERED

A Reserve Bank memorandum states: Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending 8-9-1939 were as under:—
Number of cheques 72,912.
Amount of cheques Rs. 9,17,09,837-6-10.

LATE GUNVANT KAPADIA

Mr. Ravivadan and Mansukhlal Kapadia, brothers of late Mr Gunvantlal Kapadia offer their heartfelt thanks to all those that have sent them condolences on the demise of their brother Mr. G. V. Kapadia.

K. B. BHABHA HOSPITAL & SIR C. J. R. DISPENSARY

The total number of Patients New and Old, treated in the K. B. Bhabha Hospital and the Sir C. J. R. Dispensary, Bandra, as indoor and outdoor patients, during the month of August, 1939, was 5,322.

NAGPADA NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

Public lecture to-day (Wednesday), at 6-30 p.m. by Mr. M. P. Laud Bar-at-Law, on behalf of the Indian Progressive Group on "The War in Progress". There will be a discussion after his talk

B.B.C. NEWS BULLETIN

All-India Radio, Bombay announce that the B.B.C. News Bulletin at 9-30 p.m. will until further notice be radiated on Medium Wave only and the scheduled items on that wave will be cancelled. The Short Wave broadcasts will follow the scheduled programmes.

ANTHROPOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF BOMBAY

An ordinary monthly meeting of the Society will be held in the rooms of the B. B. Royal Asiatic Society, Town Hall, Bombay, to-day (Wednesday), at 6 p.m. (S.T.), when a paper on "Basic Considerations for the Interpretation of Man" will be read by Dr. N. A. Thoothi B.A., D. Phil. (Oxon). Members and friends are invited to attend.

Amusements Of The Day

MINERVA—"The Great Moghul". Daily at 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
METRO—"Tarzan finds a son" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
NEW EMPIRE—"The Man in the Iron Mask." Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Sant Tulsidas". Daily at 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
PATHE—"Comrades." Daily at 4-15, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
REGAL—"Rose of Washington Square" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Durga" Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
WEST END—"Adhuri Kahani". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Son of Zambo". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Admi". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"Four Feathers". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m
EDWARD—"Hawk of the Wilderness" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Sadhana". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Bhabi" Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Netaji Palkar". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTIFICATION

Telegrams for Portuguese Colonies will be accepted only at senders' risk. Following special services are not admitted in telegrams for Egypt. P. C. P. R., T. R., M. P., F. S., T. F. and G. P.
(For explanation of above symbols refer P. and T Guide).

GUJARATI SARVAJANIK NAVRATRA

A public meeting of the Gujarati residents of Dadar will be held to-day (Wednesday), at 9 p.m. in the Palan Sojpal Building, Portuguese Church St. Dadar, to pass the accounts of the last year's expenses and to decide about this year's function.

GIRGAUM DISTRICT CONGRESS COMMITTEE

"The Jt. Hon. Secretary of the Girgaum District Congress Committee writes:—
The Primary membership of Congress for this year will close on Friday, September 15, 1939. Persons who have not yet enrolled themselves as members are requested to do so without further loss of time, within the prescribed time. Enrolment will close at 6-0 p.m. (S.T.), precisely at the office of the Girgaum D.C.C. All Enrolling Officers who have taken out membership books from this office are requested to return the books along with the corresponding voter's cards and subscription by 7-0 p.m. (S.T.), on the same day.

"MOTHER'S DAY"

Under the auspices of the Pathare Kshatriya Vidyarthi Sahayyak Sangha, Dadar, the second Mother's Day in the northern part of Bombay will be celebrated to-day (Wednesday), at 8-30 p.m. (S.T.) in Vanmali Hall at Dadar, when Mr. N. V. Modak, Chief Engineer of the Bombay Municipality, will preside.

"PHENOMENON OF MENSTRUATION."

In the series of Hansraj Pragji Thakersey Prince of Wales lectures of The Bombay University, Dr. Miss Vatsala M. Samant M. D. (Bombay) will deliver her lecture on "Phenomenon of Menstruation" at 2 p.m. (B.T.) to-day (Wednesday), at the Main Lecture Theatre of the G. S. Medical College Parel

A. R. P. LECTURE AT BOMBAY.
(From A Correspondent.)

Under the auspices of the Saraswat Union, Bombay North, Dr. R. P. Koppiker, M.S., Professor, Grant Medical College, and the President of the Kanara Saraswat Association, Bombay, delivered a lecture on Monday night at Vanmali Hall, Dadar. He showed by practical demonstrations the precautions to be taken in case of sudden air raids. Mr. M. M. Mundkur, President of the Union proposed a vote of thanks. This was followed with vocal music and dance by Miss Krishna Bai Udaivar.

NATIONAL PLANNING

Health Sub-Committee Meeting

BOMBAY: Sept. 12.

The National Health Sub-Committee of the National Planning Committee, met to-day at the office of the Committee with Col. S. S. Sokhey in the chair.

Among those who attended to-day's meeting of the Sub-Committee were: Dr. J. F. Nerurker, Secretary of the Committee; Rev. Father J. F. Kaluf; Rani Luxmibai Rajwade, Dr. M.M. Jaisuria and Col. F. Abdur Rahaman.

Dr. B. C. Roy, who is a member of the Sub-Committee, could not attend owing to his being busy in the Congress Working Committee at Wardha.

The "United Press" understands that the Sub-Committee discussed to-day generally the terms of reference and the work of the Sub-Committee was allocated to different members of the Committee in accordance with their individual interest and experience.

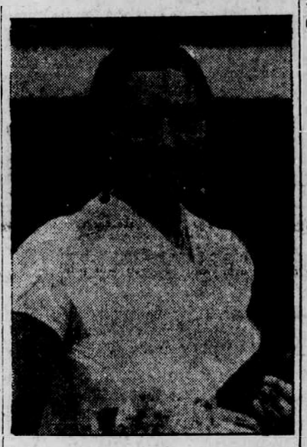
The Industrial Finance Sub-Committee of the National Planning Committee will meet to-morrow at 3-30 p.m.—United Press.

Literacy Drive In E Ward

The Superintendent of the Bombay E. Ward literacy classes writes:

In all 72 classes were conducted in E Ward. Out of 72,67 were for men and 5 for women. 28 were conducted in Marathi, 8 in Gujarati, 27 in Hindi, 6 in Urdu, 2 in Telugu and 1 in Kanarese.

Ninety per cent. of the students who attended these classes belonged to the working classes. The attendance was fairly satisfactory in June and July and it became quite satisfactory during the month of August.



MISS NALINI H. DALAL, B.A., of Ahmedabad, who arrived in Bombay by mail boat on Thursday, after obtaining the Teacher's Diploma and the Post-Graduate Diploma in Psychology, of the Maria College and Bedford College, London, respectively.

Post-Office Hours On Ganesh Chathurthi

Saturday the 16th September, being a Post Office Holiday on account of "Ganesh Chathurthi" all the Departments of the Bombay G. P. O. and its town sub-offices including the combined offices except those mentioned below will observe on that day the same working hours as on Sundays.

The Telegraph Branches of the following combined offices will, however, remain open for traffic and work as usual:—
Colaba, Kalbadevi, Masjid, Mazgaon, Bombay G. P. O., Byculla, Girgaon, Malabar Hill, Parel, Dadar, Bandra, Mahim, Mandvi, Grant Road, Vile Parle and Santa Cruz.

Talk Of The Suburbs

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN.)

In the Suburbs several local bodies are busy discussing air raid precautions.

The Thana Municipal Board at the meeting of their general board, under the presidentship of Mr. M. V. Hegde, passed several resolutions, one of which requested the Collector to take A. R. P. measures.

At Kurla, a special meeting of the Municipal Board is to be called when similar air raid precautionary measures will be discussed.

At Bandra and Vile Parle they are also contemplating similar action.

ALLEGED POISONING

Bhanumati wife of Pranjiwan Jani, a young woman, died of alleged poisoning while her sister Kamala is in the Andheri Hospital and is said to be suffering from similar ailment.

It appears Bhanumati returned home late on Saturday night, and when asked where her sister was, said that they both had gone to Andheri and she had missed her on her return.

On Sunday morning in the early hours, she awakened her landlord and it is alleged stated she had taken poison. A doctor was immediately called but despite medical aid she died. On police inquiry it was learnt that her sister was in the Andheri Hospital suffering from similar effects.

The Parle Police are busy investigating into the tragedy.

Another Slum Clearance Scheme

Tadwadi-Sonapur Area To Be Cleared Up

The Municipal Commissioner has formulated one more scheme for the clearance of a slum area at the junction of Tadwadi and Sonapur Street. Last year the Municipal Commissioner had submitted two schemes for the clearance of slum areas at Marine Street, and Kamatipura. The Tadwadi-Sonapur Street slum area is very filthy and unhealthy locality containing houses which are rickety and without adequate provision for light and ventilation. In most cases the houses either have no plinth or have their floor below the street level. Some of the rooms are also deficient as regards height and floor area. Tadwadi lane opening both on Girgaum Road and Sonapur Stree was formerly a narrow and crooked passage, but it has gradually been improved to its present state by the acquisition of a number of set-backs.

It will, as a part of the scheme be widened immediately to 25 feet along the eastern and northern boundaries of the scheme and it is further proposed to revise the existing regular lines by which the important portion of the lane will ultimately be widened to 40 feet.

The total area comprised in the scheme comes to about 2,41 square yards. There are in this area approximately 54 single room tenements, 4 double room tenements and 3 larger tenements Besides these, there are 11 shops The total number of houses included in the scheme is 12 and the number of people residing in this area is roughly estimated at 500 The cost of acquisition is estimated at about Rs. 1,83,200 and that of works such as roads, drains and lighting at about Rs. 6,400. The total cost of the scheme will therefore, come to about Rs. 1,89,600.

The Improvements Committee on Tuesday approved of the recommendation of the Municipal Commissioner and forwarded the same to the Municipal Corporation for favourable consideration.

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ISSUES BEFORE THE COUNTRY

The Viceroy's reference to Federation in his speech in the Central Legislative Assembly on Monday was decisive enough so far as it went but it did not go far enough. Though he announced the abandonment of the Federal scheme he did not say what would take its place or how the various issues bound up with it were to be settled. The Federal scheme was meant to be something to fit in, at the Centre, with Autonomy in the Provinces. But now that the scheme is to be scrapped what is to take its place? The war is expected to last for three years. Is it suggested that during all this time the present constitutionally irresponsible Government will continue to function at the Centre and get on somehow with the autonomous Provincial Governments? Or is it thought that in the name of war provincial autonomy itself will be restricted so as to match with the constitutional irresponsibility at the top? Neither suggestion is sensible at a time when the British Government needs the wholehearted sympathy and support of India.

Freedom Essential

The London *Times* says that the postponement of the last stages of Federation "does not imply abandonment of the only practicable road to Indian union and Indian nationhood." The reference here is obviously to the principle of Federation for the present scheme is now dead as a door-nail. The Viceroy, too, has declared that "Federation remains as before the objective of His Majesty's Government." Nor does the country object to the principle of Federation. The Congress has already accepted it but it rightly insists that Federation must be thoroughly democratic and absolutely free from every trace of foreign tradition. In these circumstances the present Federal scheme, which is admitted to have little chance of success now, will have much less after the war is over, whenever that time comes. For the time being the urgent question is what is to take the place of the Federal scheme that is as good as permanently abandoned. To say that this is not the time to consider the question betrays a deplorable lack of a sense of reality. On that question depend the interests not only of India but of Britain too. A free and democratic India, supporting the democracies, would be a source of incalculable strength to Britain in the fight against Hitlerism. It is such considerations that have prompted a British paper like the *Manchester Guardian* to say that "India deserves to be treated as a full equal."

United Demand

It appears probable that the Congress Working Committee is considering not only the question of Congress attitude towards the war but also that of minimum constitutional reforms that are rendered urgent as much by the abandonment of the Federal scheme as by the international situation. These two questions may make it necessary for the Congress to carry on serious negotiations with other political bodies and the Viceroy. It is a pity that Mr. Jinnah is not able to attend the conference at Wardha but the accredited plenipotentiary of the Congress—the whole country again expects Gandhiji to fill this role—will have to get into touch with Mr. Jinnah and other party leaders before carrying on negotiations with the Viceroy. The negotiations will be wholly successful if there is perfect unity in the Congress and true communal unity in the country. If Gandhiji is made the sole representative of the Congress, he may be trusted to concentrate his best efforts on securing national unity.

A Dead Horse?

Though the Central Legislative Assembly rejected the Muslim League's motion condemning the purchase of 218 X Class Pacific engines without trial as "unwarranted and a huge wastage of public money", not one in the House defended the purchase. The House evidently thought that the condemnation of the Railway Board's policy by the Pacific Locomotives Committee was enough for the present. Sir Andrew Clow, Member for Communications, was himself apologetic and said that the Committee having censured the purchase, "neglecting the warning of consulting engineers", he was "prepared to leave it at that". But the representatives of the people who pay in more ways than one for the blunders of the Railway Board should have the right to endorse the Committee's censure. Official members took advantage of the Congress Party's absence and helped to throw out the just motion of the Muslim League.

One of the most important points discussed in the debate on this subject was the Committee's recommendation about building engines in India. Sir Ziauddin Ahmed rightly stressed the importance of this point in view of the war and the practical impossibility of importing engines in the near future. He strongly supported the idea of making India self-supporting in the matter of running her railways. It is a pity, however, Government did not give any assurance on this point. They should lose no more time in formulating definite plans in this behalf and placing these before the country.

Nazi Brutality

Mad men, it is said, bring an uncanny cleverness to the accomplishment of the job which they, in their obsession, have in hand. The Nazis began the war with the sinking without warning of the "Athenia" and with attacking open towns with bombs and poison gas. That was the act of a mad man. Then they turned to what may be called civilised warfare—if any warfare can at all be "civilised." That was the proverbial astuteness of the madman. But they have not been able to sustain that astuteness. And brutality has again run amuck. Reports even from neutral sources speak of indiscriminate bombing of civilian population of open towns and villages and of widespread and terrible destruction caused by their use of incendiary bombs. This resort to brutality, so far from bringing any benefits to them, will actually recoil upon the Nazis though not in the same form. Indeed the process has already begun. The determination of the Poles to resist the invader has been further accentuated by hatred for his brutality. And that brutality is provoking neutrals, too, into a hostile attitude of mind.

Enemy Of Socialism And Democracy

By H. N. BRAILSFORD,

LONDON, Sept. 2.

With most of Europe, we now stand fully mobilised, awaiting the decision of a mad-man, drunk with power. If he gives the signal to attack, he will perpetrate the most wanton aggression in history.

Our minds are made up. For a life of self-respect and useful work we must end this terrorism that has darkened the existence of a continent through six years of cruelty and humiliation.

The little that we know is already more than enough. In a series of notes, addressed first to M. Daladier and then to Mr. Chamberlain, this dictator, who knows no truth, has talked plausibly about his love of peace.

But in all of them he has maintained unmodified demands that to his knowledge neither we, nor the French, nor the Poles can honourably discuss. He has made his demands, knowing in advance that the Poles must resist, and that the Western Powers are pledged to support them.

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It was wise and right to offer negotiation and to suggest mediation. But on this basis we cannot ask the Poles to negotiate. If they consented to discuss the surrender of these territories, while Hitler's armies encircle them, their independence would be lost already, and they would become what the Czechs are to-day, the helpless vassals of the Nazi dictator.

In the eyes of all Europe, we should have permitted the master of Germany's armies to demonstrate that the guarantee of the West is powerless, to preserve an ally. The issue is incomparably greater than the ownership of Danzig or the Corridor.

It is whether any independent nation can survive within reach of Hitler's arm. Unless the Poles, with our full backing, resist these intolerable demands, Europe east of the Rhine will become a Nazi continent.

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But is there no justice, the reader may ask, in these demands for a revision of the Versailles arrangements? Some revision of details there well might be but broadly these arrangements were not unjust.

Save in Danzig itself, the population of this big area is to-day overwhelmingly Polish. Nowhere does the German minority amount to ten per cent. The city of Danzig, on the other hand, is solidly German, but it enjoyed complete self-government, and was, in fact, already run by Nazis on Nazi principles, like any town of the Reich.

The only important exception is that it is within the Polish customs area: in other words, its traders have privileged access to the big Polish market.

The Poles could not oppress it, for the simple reason that save in the customs houses they wielded no authority whatever. It is true that East Prussia is separated by the Corridor from the rest of the Reich, but so it always had been until Frederick the Great partitioned Poland.

It has every facility for its communications by rail across the Corridor. It may be reasonable also to ask for some similar arrangement for road transport, but that could be secured without a war.

One fact suffices to prove that this entire agitation over Danzig and the Corridor is artificial and baseless. When in 1934 it suited Hitler to make friends of the Poles, he bound himself for ten years to accept this whole arrangement as it stood. What was tolerable then, is tolerable still.

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But few of us are in need of further arguments to strengthen our will to resist. If Mr. Chamberlain's private diplomacy has been as firm as his public words, he has carried out in these last weeks of the prolonged crisis the unanimous will of the nation.

It is a bitter thought that if he and his predecessors had stood as firmly behind the Chinese, the Abyssinians, the Spaniards, and the Czechs, as he has stood behind the Poles, this war that now threatens us might have been averted.

It has come upon us because, until these last weeks of decision, no one in Berlin, Rome, or Moscow could believe that he would ever make a stand. If the delay has enabled us to make our own armaments ready, it has lost us the support of the Spaniards: and the Russians.

It is highly improbable that Hitler would have risked general war unless he had first secured the pledged neutrality of Russia.

It is still our conviction that with more sincerity and fewer delays, Mr. Chamberlain could have secured the Soviet Union as an ally.

These are the main facts about Stalin's defection from the Peace Front, whatever else we may have to take into account. The responsibility for this disaster must be divided between London, Warsaw, and Moscow, but that in no way lessens the gravity of the consequences.

Hitler may now count on subduing the Poles within a few weeks or months. So much he has gained, whatever else he has lost.

That his diplomatic success in Moscow is not all gain is, however, clear. The British ruling class is audibly firmer in its will to resist, since it lost the Soviet as a possible ally, than it was while it dreaded that unwelcome association.

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Not only here, but in Spain and throughout the Catholic and Conservative world and on both sides of the Atlantic, Hitler has thrown away much of the support on which he might have counted. By shattering the ideological basis of the Anti-Comintern Pact, he has lost the friendship of Japan.

But those who are stressing that particular by-product of the Hitler-Stalin bargain, forget that before Herr von Ribbentrop flew to Moscow the Japanese Cabinet had decisively rejected the demand of its soldiers that it should conclude a military alliance with the Powers of the Axis.

Hitler lost Japanese sympathy when he sued for Russia's neutrality, but the support of the Japanese fleet had already been denied him. There is in this newwon sympathy of the reactionary forces for our cause a moral danger, as well as a momentary gain. It promises ill for the eventual settlement.

But the main effect of Russia's action is not in the world of sentiment. Subject to the risks of roundabout transport, it is possible that Germany may draw from Russia, as well as from a neutral Rumania, supplies of oil, grain, and minerals.

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To the extent that Stalin is willing and able to serve her

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German Occupation

By Maurice Frydman

When the German entered Warsaw in 1915, I was a boy of 13 only. Except for a few window panes broken for the sake of eatables behind them the Germans behaved correctly. Quickly and methodically they introduced their own order, issued German passports to the population, rationed the food supplies, introduced German language in the schools, but, apart from this, interfered little with the daily life of the people.

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Yet very soon the scarcity of articles of first necessity showed that a methodical denudation of the country of all that was of any value had been started in right earnest.

As a boy I could know very little of he razing of forests, confiscation of crops, emptying of fisheries, demolition of some factories for the sake of iron scrap, immobilization of others by taking away all leather and copper, but my boyish imagination was struck by some secondary aspects of the process.

German soldiers would go from house to house and from flat to flat in search of stores of food and clothing. Everything that appeared useful would be taken away. They would confiscate all brassware, door knobs and handles, stove fittings and furniture ornaments. My mother had to part with some of her most precious heirlooms—a gunmetal mortar, copper pans and trays and so on. There was no talk nor even expectation of payment. Nickel was so precious that even artistic things were not spared. Copper and nickel coins soon disappeared and were replaced by iron.

In the countryside, Germans would take away all timber, cattle, fodder, grain and milk, paying with notes depreciating from day to day. Fruits were converted on the spot into jams and sent to Germany. Eggs were broken, poured into bottles, boiled and dispatched.

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Very soon hunger broke out in the city. Hundreds were dying daily. We were living near a police station and we could watch the agony of those who were collected by the police from the streets to be sent to the graveyard as soon as they died. To give them food was nobody's concern. Nor was it easy. Food was so scarce that money could not buy it. Even the Germans starved, soldiers and officers.

Children died like flies. The American relief organisations distributed milk, food and clothing, but it was a drop in the sea of human misery. Hunger and disease took a greater toll of life, than the war itself.

If the occupation of Poland by Germany now lasts more than a few weeks, Poland will be swept clean of all necessities of life, food, clothing, timber, coal and metals. All will go to Germany. Bombs are infinitely preferable to the bleeding white of a country, in the art of which German are past masters. The bleeding will be thorough. Germany is already starved and cannot afford to leave a crumb.

It is heartbreaking to think of the children, Polish and German. Millions of them are doomed to death or deficient development due to starvation. The coming winter will be terrible.

The only way to save them is to create a world-wide organization for child relief in all countries at war with each other, without distinction. Children have not prepared the war, nor do they fight. They have been thrown into a mad world, innocent and helpless. Yet they are the seeds of a new life, the promise of a better world. They must be saved. Food will be needed, clothing and medicines, doctors and nurses and money, which can buy all

Will India give the lead?

Frankly Speaking

Hungary And Germany

Some days ago it was announced that Count Csaky, the Hungarian Foreign Minister, had suddenly flown to an unspecified destination in Germany and had done so in a German Government aeroplane. The mystery of his movement coupled with the fact that it took place in a German Government aeroplane provoked suspicion. Are the Nazis trying to force Hungary into the war on their side? Probably they expect that by opening up the Hungaro-Polish frontier to their troops they will be able to drive more decisively from the South-East and shorten Polish resistance. But they are also at the same time, risking the possibility of Rumania joining Poland in which case their short war on the Eastern Front may be prolonged with very serious consequences to themselves. Of course, Hungary does not gain in either case. Any way, the Hungarian Parliament is meeting on Thursday when perhaps it will take a definite decision.

Turkey's Position

Turkey evidently does not mind letting the world know that her neutrality in the present conflict does not mean neutrality in sympathy or even in future possibilities. Public opinion as represented non-officially by the press would appear to be outspokenly against Germany; it is so outspoken, indeed, that an Ankara newspaper is reported to have used strong words against Herr Hitler. Officially, the Government has made an unmistakable gesture in the same direction by refusing renewal of the economic treaty with Germany. Turkey's Foreign Minister is more "correct" and does not—as, of course, he cannot—go beyond the bounds of diplomatic etiquette. But while affirming the non-existence of any "direct" differences with Germany, M. Sayadam emphasises that "with Britain and France there exists a community of interests backed by determined bases." This is an indirect warning to Italy that in the event of war in the Mediterranean Turkey would automatically join Britain and France. If Greece also proposes to stand like Turkey by her commitments, then M. Sayadam's warning will make Signor Mussolini think more than twice before revising his present attitude.

Nazis On "Hunger War"

The rationing of necessities almost on a starvation level and Marshal Goering's speech showed that the Nazis had begun to realise the gravity of the situation that was confronting Germany. This realisation is now further proved by the consciousness of the Nazis to the extreme urgency of whipping up national patriotism for starvation. For instance, a German paper quoted by the official German News Agency says: "In this economic war forced on her by Britain, Germany is in a position to resist every form of 'hunger war' and will answer with the same weapon." But we have not been able to catch the Nazi humour involved in the threat to Britain to answer 'hunger war' with the "same weapon"

Check On Speculation

Sharp advances followed by war in Europe have resulted in heavy losses to speculators in local markets, and it is feared that, in some cases, it will be impossible to meet full responsibilities. It is time for all organised associations carrying on speculative operations to be cautious and devise means for safety. It is essential that all operations must be protected by margin deposits and members must be asked to submit daily lists of sales and purchases. If any member is found doing reckless business beyond his capacity, he must be warned and even be suspended in case of need. It is no use waiting till a disaster overtakes one. In these days of abnormal activity and violent fluctuations effective checks are essential and Government will be quite prepared to support safety measures. If the associations fail in their duty, they will have no right to Government support and public sympathy.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT

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Mr. Jinnah has expressed inability to accept the invitation to attend the Congress Working Committee meeting at Wardha owing to pre-occupation in Delhi.

We are only surprised at the inability of the Congress Committee to see that it is impossible for any distinguished leader with pre-occupations at Delhi on the 17th to attend a meeting at Wardha on the 12th.

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Apropos of the opinions collected by a confrere on the subject of the Bombay Government's price control scheme we thought we would have the views of the Junior Colleague.

We did. But—er—exigencies of space preclude us from publishing them.

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Nazi Germany in 1939, declared the "Times" of London, "has been guilty of the same blunder as Kaisar's Germany in 1914".

True enough. But the more important question is whether Imperial Britain of 1939 will be guilty of the same blunder as Imperial Britain in 1919.

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India Joins The War

We learn from the Simla correspondent of Anglo-India that "in the Defence Department no Indian remains in a key position, the only one so placed having been transferred elsewhere *since the war broke out.*" (Our italics)

We—er—shall not say how thankful we are for this most instructive information.

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Taking the earliest opportunity of repeating, officially at last, his old favourite slogan, Mr. Anthony Eden declares in a broadcast: "We have decided to show that aggression does not pay."

Good. But, talking of his slogan, will the admission, into the Cabinet, of the "too beautiful Mr. Eden" be regarded by Italy as a friendly act?

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British official circles consider that Marshal Goering's speech "revealed the bankruptcy of German policy".

"Inflation" would be more apt in respect of Nazi Germany's immense No. 2.

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It is suggested that the reason for Russia's partial mobilisation is that the Kremlin is worried that Herr Hitler may not halt his troops, should they reach the Russian frontier."

If that is so the Kremlin is crediting the mad man of Europe with more madness than he deserves.

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Superstition or Credulity?

A London bookshop has protected its roof against air raids with Herr Hitler's "Mein Kampf."

Do they think that the Fuehrer is incapable of bombing his own bible?

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Women, says a London report, are being trained for Royal Navy service.

Training for R. A. F. would have been much better.

Women fly. Oh, how they do fly.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The lawyer deals in brains and disposes of them by the case.

There's a pleasure in being cranky that only a crank can know.

It's a good memory that sometimes admits of discreet forgetfulness.

It's a poor rule that won't work both ways, but it's a poorer one that won't work at all.

Although a man may acknowledge that he has faults he seldom owns up to those of which his friends accuse him of.

It is said that the snipe has a nerve running clear down to the end of its bill. The plumber must be that kind of bird.

NAZI ADVANCE SLOWS DOWN

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Army owing to groups of Polish troops behind the German lines continuity harassing the German rear.—Reuter.

NAZI CLAIM

BERLIN, Sept. 12.
After a fierce battle the enemy has been driven back to the North-east of Warsaw, a German communique claims.

The communique adds that in their pursuit the German troops crossed the railway line between Warsaw and Bialystock in large numbers.

As on the preceding day units of the German Air Force aided the army by harassing the enemy's rear lines of communication and diving fighters blocked the eastern outlets of Warsaw.

Grossendorf in the western part of the Hela Peninsula has been occupied by German naval forces.

ON THE VISTULA FRONT

A communique issued by the German High Command states that the battle to the west of Vistula is drawing to a close and the German troops are approaching Modlin Fortress and others have crossed the railway from Warsaw to Biolystok.

A CURIOUS CLAIM

A particularly curious German claim to-day is that German forces have occupied the town of Torun on the Vistula, which the Germans had already claimed to have occupied two days ago.—Reuter.

BRITISH EMBASSY BOMBED

LONDON, Sept. 12.
According to a message received from Warsaw during one of the air raids on Warsaw, one member of the British Embassy was killed.

The Embassy at Warsaw has been evacuated and members of the Embassy have been removed to the Rumanian border for safety.

KILLED IN AIR RAID

It is learnt from the British Ambassador in Warsaw that the wife of the British Passport Control Officer in the British Embassy was killed in an air raid.

Sir Howard Kennedy says that the remaining personnel of the Embassy is unharmed and the Embassy has now moved from Warsaw.

The wife of the British Passport Control Officer in Warsaw was a Polish woman married for six months.—Reuter.

Earlier Cables

ATTACK ON WARSAW BROKEN UP

LONDON, Sept. 12.
A Polish High Command announcement says that the German attack on Warsaw on two flanks has broken up.

A later broadcast from Soviet wireless confirms that the German advance on Warsaw has been effectively checked.

A Polish General Staff communique read from Lwow wireless station to-night states that German Air Force bombed the lines of communication, civilians and soldiers.

The communique says that fighting is going on in Suwalki region, on Narew River, and particularly heavy engagement near Lomza 80 miles north-east of Warsaw.

The aircraft and tanks are being used by the enemy in great quantities.

The German official news agency claims that Germans have captured Lomza.

Town of Brazese which was reported in a Brussels message to be the new seat of the Polish Government was one of the number of towns recently bombed, according to Lwow radio announcement.

GRIM STORY OF RACK AND RUIN

A message from Helsinki says:—
According to a Latvian journalist who arrived in Riga the entire route from Poland is marked by burning towns and villages and fleeing masses.

Dense clouds of smoke indicated the sites of towns and villages now in ashes while the town Wyszkow is a blazing furnace Destruction caused by German incendiary bombs is terrible.

Inhabitants are seeking sanctuary in forests and village streets are strewn with dead. German air tactics behind the Polish lines are inspiring great hatred against Germany.

The Polish Government has decided to lodge a protest with the Governments of all civilised nations against the German practice of indiscriminate bombing of open towns and civilians, according to the Polish official news agency.

French Forces In Germany

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warning yesterday morning. German aeroplanes were held at bay by the French defences and had to turn back.—Reuter.

BRITISH TROOPS IN FRANCE

LONDON: Sept. 12.
The first official announcement that British troops have landed in France, was made through the Ministry of Information this afternoon.

It was stated that the troops were not yet in action and no further details can in the meantime be furnished.—Reuter.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR RECEPTION

PARIS: Sept. 12.
Thorough preparations based on the experiences of the last war, have been made for the reception of British troops in France. Base camps have been erected and all provisions made for tremendous supplies.

Dumps are springing up with amazing speed and hospitals are already prepared.

Once again British troops are moving "somewhere in France" in well-known goods trucks, labelled "Forty Men—Eight Horses" and French girls wave to cheering soldiers as trains pass through the quiet countryside where every Frenchman of military age is with the colours.—Reuter.

SECRECY ABOUT MOVEMENTS

PARIS: Sept. 12.
Complete secrecy is still maintained concerning movements of British troops and airmen in France. All that the general public knows is that they are here.

It was generally known in British circles some days ago that large numbers of British airmen, equipped with the most modern machines, were already stationed in France and troops were disembarking.

From various towns and villages comes news of the great welcome, which the populace accorded to the British.—Reuter.

THEY FIGHT SIDE BY SIDE

PARIS, September 12.
British troops are now fighting beside the French. A declaration to this effect was made by the French war author M. Rolland Dorgelles, broadcasting from Paris.

He said "the British troops are wonderfully prepared, they are already fighting in large numbers by our side and their numbers will increase continually."

PRECISE INFORMATION CAN'T BE DISCLOSED

French people had already been told that British troops were on their way to support them. The announcement was made in a recent statement by the Commissariat of Information, which said "Military reasons make it impossible to give you just now precise information regarding the British troops in France, but it is necessary that you should know that British soldiers are arriving and that they will be by the side of ours".—Reuter.

First Vital Loss To Germany

PARIS, September 12.
French newspapers note that while satisfactory progress continues on the western front, the position of the Poles is improving.

A gradual French advance into Saar is being achieved by quiet methods which is a match to the methodical withdrawal of Polish armies to stronger positions.

A check to the German advance on Warsaw is the direct result of the deliberate shortening of the Polish line. French troops are slowly overcoming German resistance and making their way steadily forward. French advance in the region north of Saar Egue Mines reveals that pressure is being brought to bear on Saarbrucken. The capture of this area would prove the first vital loss to Germany.

The "Petit Parisien" suggests that the time is not far off when the Germans will have to fall back on the line to the rear of Saar.—Reuter.

NAZIS DESTROY HISTORIC PALACE

LONDON, Sept. 12.
Warsaw suffered by heavy and extensive air bombardments during the past 24 hours, according to Polish wireless reports Among the buildings destroyed is Belvedere Palace, famous as Pilsudski's residence and now the Pilsudski Museum and regarded as a national shrine by the Poles.—Reuter.

Two Meatless Days In Week

Food Shortage In Germany: Schools Being Turned Into Hospitals

PARIS: Sept. 12.
One out of every two schools in Berlin and district has been transformed into a hospital, states the Havas Agency's Zurich correspondent, who adds that many universities have been closed.

For the purpose of economising petrol, only motorists carrying an official badge are allowed to use the streets.

Mondays and Fridays have been proclaimed meatless days for restaurants, yesterday's menu in one large hotel consisting of soup, rice with cauliflower and cake.

Restrictions in Vienna are less severe, the authorities hesitating to impose new privations in view of the growing discontent.—Reuter.

GERMANY PREPARING TO FACE WAR HUNGER

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The paper declares:—"In this economic war forced on her by Britain, Germany is in a position to resist every form of 'hunger war' and will answer with the same weapon".—Reuter.

BRITAIN'S NATIONAL WAR PLAN

LONDON: Sept. 12.
Yesterday's "Financial News" in a leading article said: "Nothing could be wiser or more salutary, nothing could be better calculated to put the national war effort into a true perspective from the start than the War Cabinet's decision to base all plans on the assumption of three years of war or more. That is the procedure, not the prophecy of a Government concerned, not to lay down a time schedule for victory, but to assure the right intensity and continuity of national effort."—B.O.W.

'U' Boats Attack British Ships

LONDON, Sept. 12.
The Ministry of Information announces that the steamer "Inverliffey" (9465 tons) was sunk and the crew rescued by an American ship, the "Stewart."

Four British steamships are reported to have been attacked by U. boats but successfully eluded the attacks.—Reuter.

FREIGHTER SUNK OFF IRISH COAST

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.
The British freighter "Blairlogie" was sunk off the Irish Coast. The crew was saved by a United States steamer, "American Shipper," which turned back a hundred and fifty miles to effect the rescue.—Reuter.

Ordinance At Work

KARACHI: Sept. 12.
Kazi Mujtaba and Mr. Ghulam Ali, Labour leaders, who were arrested early this morning under the Defence of India Ordinance for alleged anti-war activities, were produced before the Special City Magistrate. Mr. Ghulam Ali was sentenced to one year's imprisonment and placed in the 'B' class.

Kazi Mujtaba will be tried on September 20. He has been released on bail.—United Press.

THREE ARRESTS AT LUCKNOW

Under Defence Of India Ordinance

LUCKNOW, Sept. 12.
Three persons have been arrested this morning under the Defence of India Ordinance for alleged issuing a pamphlet in connection with recruitment, says a message from Unao

Seth Damodar Swarup, Secretary of the U. P Congress Socialist Party, has been warned by the District Magistrate. Bareilly not to do or preach anything which might impede recruitment.—United Press.

THE INVITATION TO HUNGARY:
"Isn't that the chair on which Schuschnigg and Hacha sat?"
(Count Csaky flew to Berlin in a German Govt. 'plane on September 8 and returned to Budapest the same day).

Weekly Review In Parliament

LONDON: Sept. 12.
When the House of Commons meets on Wednesday a statement on the developments in the war situation since last Tuesday as full as is consistent with public interest will be made by the Prime Minister.

It is expected that a similar review will be made at least once a week in Parliament.

The Government's intentions regarding the National Register will also be revealed on Wednesday.—Reuter.

DEPARTMENTAL STAFFS LEAVE LONDON

LONDON: Sept. 12.
It is officially announced that a limited number of Government Departmental Staffs, who can perform their duties away from the centre of Government without loss of efficiency are being transferred from London.

It is understood that between seven and eight thousand persons are involved. There is no question of the Government leaving London and no office directly concerned with war time activities will go.—B.O.W.

RESTRICTED PASSENGER TRAFFIC

LONDON, Sept. 12.
Railway companies in England have announced that it is necessary to restrict passenger traffic.—Reuter.

TRINIDAD'S SOLIDARITY

LONDON: Sept. 12.
The Ministry of Information states that when the Trinidad Legislative Council held its first meeting since the war and made a declaration to "do and suffer all required of them," unofficial members expressed loyalty on behalf of the large East India community, the Labour Party and the Trades Union movement.—Reuter.

AGA KHAN OFFERS HIS SERVICES

LONDON: Sept. 12.
The Aga Khan in addition to appealing to his own followers to give unrestricted service to the cause for which Britain fights has placed his own services entirely at the disposal of the Government of India, states the Ministry of Information.

The Maharaja of Kapurthala has offered the services of his second and younger sons.—Reuter.

Splendid Response To New Zealand's Call

WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.
The New Zealand Government's call to volunteers is meeting with splendid response. Queues of men besiege the recruiting office. It is stated that all quotas will be easily filled.—Reuter.

Canada-Australia Co-operation

CANBERRA, Sept. 12
Mr. Menzies has announced that the Commonwealth will appoint a High Commissioner to Canada on a reciprocal basis as soon as possible in order to secure closer co-operation between the Dominions.—Reuter.

JEWISH AGENCY FOR BRITAIN'S DEFENCE

JERUSALEM, Sept. 12.
Forty-five thousand adult (men and women) Jews between the ages of 18 and 50 have registered in the first two days campaign organised by the Jewish Agency and the National Council for volunteer service in the local Defence and Auxiliary Services of the British Army.—Reuter

Yemen Breaks Off Relations With Germany

(From Our Own Correspondent)
CAIRO: (By Air Mail).
It is understood that the Imam of Yemen has instructed his son, Saiful Islam Alhousain, who is still in London, to get in touch with the British authorities in connection with supplying large quantities of ammunition and gas-masks to Yemen.

Strong rumour in the Arab circles indicated that the Imam has broken off diplomatic relations with Germany. A report also stated that all mail correspondences and articles from Yemen to be sent to Italian territories close to Yemen have been suspended by the Imam temporarily.

Welfare Of Evacuated Population

LONDON: Sept. 12.
Mr. Anthony Eden, Secretary for Dominions, was received in audience by the King to-day.

Miss Horsborough, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Health, made week-end visits to places concerned with the welfare of evacuated population. She intends to extend her inspection to many parts of the country. Her object is to obtain first-hand knowledge of the arrangements made for the comfort and well-being of persons evacuated under the Government scheme.—B.O.W

THREE-POWER MONETARY PACT TO CONTINUE

LONDON, Sept. 12.
Mr. Morgenthau, the Secretary of the U.S.A. Treasury, has announced that the Tripartite Monetary Agreement between the United States of America, England and France is to continue in force in spite of the new Sterling and Franc rates.

Mr. Morgenthau explained that in view of the period of emergency a change in rates could not be regarded as competitive devaluation.—Reuter.

QUEEN MARY VISITS QUEEN ELIZABETH

LONDON, Sept. 12.
Queen Mary visited Queen Elizabeth at the Buckingham Palace to-day. This is the first visit Her Majesty has paid to the Queen since the war broke out.—Reuter.

DEFEATIST TACTICS OF NAZI PROPAGANDISTS

Jamming Official Warsaw Broadcast With Records Telling About "Imminent Fall" Of Polish Capital

(From Our Correspondent.)
LONDON, Sept. 12.
Having failed to win the "war of nerves", the Nazis have embarked with renewed vigour on an unabated campaign of spreading deliberate lies about their own superiority and the weaknesses of democracies.

For some time, they have been trying to use a microphone in this campaign—though without much success—more than the press barrage. Therefore, ever since the hostilities broke out, I made it a special point to listen into the Radio Bulletin's broadcast by Nazis or their hirelings in different European centres.

TIRADE AGAINST BRITAIN

Last night, having listened to the usual tirades against Britain from Berlin, I switched on midnight to Warsaw and for the fifth consecutive midnight, I heard the broadcaster asking us to stand by as he anticipated "very exciting and thrilling news from the Polish capital".

The broadcaster who spoke in English had decidedly a continental accent He added "heavy bombing is going on round my station. From my windows, I see approaching large columns fighting the German troops but I am determined to broadcast to my last breath".

Then I heard the sound of aeroplanes and there pause after two loud explosions and the sound of machinegun fire.

The broadcaster then said a programme of music would follow —Chopin's Funeral march was played.

However, enquiries made in various impartial radio authorities have brought me the conclusion that Nazis have been jamming the Official Warsaw broadcast every night and have been playing records which tell us of the imminent fall of Warsaw accompanied by machinegun fire as described above.

INDIAN STUDENT'S SPEECH DISTORTED

I must also record that I have been recently listening to Berlin frequently and have been amused to hear a record made from the speech delivered on a German wireless by one of my student friends from South India who has left for India from London via Berlin. As I know, personally what this student spoke on German wireless ten weeks ago, I have no hesitation in concluding that the Nazis distorted his speech and recorded only that part wherein he happened to disagree with the methods of British Government in India.

In the course his speech the Indian student had not hesitated to emphasise that India as represented by the Congress and other sections of political opinions was anti-Nazi, anti-Hitler and preferred to be democratic. But Dr. Goebbels propaganda machine has taken care not to broadcast this assertion of our young countryman.

BUMPER WHEAT CROP FOR CANADA

LONDON, Sept. 12.
The Canadian High Commissioner has announced that Canada's wheat crop is the largest since 1928 and the fourth largest on record. The crop is estimated at 459 million bushels.—Reuter.

NO COMPROMISE WITH HITLERISM

Eden's Broadcast

LONDON, Sept. 11.
"Herr Hitler had deliberately made negotiation impossible and instead chose to embark on a war of naked aggression," declared Mr. Anthony Eden broadcasting to-night. He added, "He has made the choice and he must suffer for the decision. For us now there will be no turning back."

Referring to the Empire's response Mr. Eden said that Canada Australia, New Zealand and South Africa, each had given its answer to the challenge and made the cause its own. India also had given her answer. Colonies too had offered aid. From all quarters of the Globe had come messages of loyalty and offers of help. "Once more Britain stands armed and resolved with her sister nations by her side."

"We have no quarrel with the German people but there can be no lasting peace until Nazism and all it stands for in oppression and cruelty is broken and the faith is banished from earth. This issue admits of no compromise. Our determination to see the war through to the end is unshaken. We have decided to fight to show that aggression does not pay and that the German people must realise that this country means to go on fighting until that goal is reached.

"It is already evident that Nazi Government seeks to delude its people into thinking that a quick victory in Poland will be followed by indifference or capitulation by Western Democracies. That is not the truth. People in this country are ready to fight a very long war to the bitter end, if it must be, to rid the world of Hitlerism and all it implies.—Reuter.

OLD NAZI TECHNIQUE EXPOSED

Democracies Will Stand United

LONDON: Sept. 12.
The "Daily Herald" in an editorial yesterday, after analysing the reappearance in Marshal Goering's speech of the old Nazi technique of isolating the victim by lulling some of his possible defenders into false sense of security and keeping others quiet by intimidation —a technique by which, it is said, Nazi aggression demolished, first its opponents inside Germany and next, the free nations on Germany's borders—declared: "There will be no more successes to add to that long score. Poland, France, Britain and the rest of British Commonwealth are part of a union, from which no member can be isolated and destroyed.

"They stand as one united by an idealism in the light of which they see an attack upon Poland as an attack upon all free civilisation, and united also by the certain knowledge that there is no limit to Herr Hitler's ambitions."—B.O.W.

Nazi Split Over 'Athenia' Incident

(From Our Correspondent.)
LONDON, Sept. 12.
According to Military circles, no spectacular news from the Western front is possible for a time and the probability is, the forces of social disintegration will help to win victory for the allies.

Meanwhile, it is stated from Copenhagen just as the Grand Admiral von Tirpitz clashed with Kaiser's Government over the question of unrestricted 'U' Boat warfare so the conflict has now broken out between the Nazi Naval Staff and the political leaders over torpedoing the "Athenia".

It is believed the German Foreign Office and other propaganda officials are alarmed at the reaction of the World to the sinking of "Athenia."

On the other hand, Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, Hitler's Navy Chief, insists on torpedoing the British Merchant vessels. He said the fault of the Commander of the 'U' Boat which sunk "Athenia" was he carried out too literally Herr Hitler's expressed orders to sink without warning.

"We prefer Kaiser by the grace of God to that scamp at Berchtesgaden" is the message stuck on trees on the road to Aixlachapelle, declare motorists who arrived in Holland from Cologne.

Pilot Killed In Air Crash

KARACHI: Sept. 12.
The South-bound Indian National Airways 'plane "Beachcraft" which left Lahore this morning for Karachi is reported to have crashed 30 miles from Lahore.
The Indian pilot is stated to have been killed.
The machine was badly damaged. Mails, however, are safe.—A. P.

Precaution Against Retreating Polish Troops

KAUNAS, Sept. 11.
According to information from Moscow partial mobilisation was carried out as a precautionary measure in order to deal with Polish troops which in retreating might eventually reach the Soviet border.—Reuter.

Govt. Order Against Profiteering Explained

Fixing Of Maximum Price Does Not Necessarily Mean That Commodities Should Be Sold At Exactly That Price, Says P. R. O.

The Public Relations Officer, writes:—There has been a good deal of criticism against the Government order fixing the maximum rates of the absolute essentials of life at 20 per cent. above the rates prevailing on the 1st of September. The fixing of a maximum price does not necessarily mean that the commodities should be sold at exactly that price. Enquiries made show that it has been so understood by the public. The prevailing price of rice to-day was about 10 per cent. above the price that prevailed on the 1st of September. The price of bajri was 6 to 10 per cent., the price of jowar, 9 per cent., and that of "Dal" was 15 per cent. more than the prevailing prices on the 1st of September. This is so in spite of the fact that there is no control on the price of "Dal".

New Appointments And Transfers

(From Our Correspondent.)
JUNAGADH, September 10.

The Nawab Saheb Bahadur of Junagadh has been pleased to grant Amir allowance of Rs. 200 per mensem to Mian Liaqat Mohamadhkhan, Hon. A. D. C. and Tazmi Sadar of the State.

Mr. Ismail H. M. Abrahani, B.A., Chief Educational Officer, has been granted an allowance of Rs. 400 per mensem by His Highness the Nawab Saheb Bahadur in consideration of his additional extra duties as the private Secretary to H.H. the Nawab Saheb.

Mr. S. A. Hafiz, Chief Forest Officer has been appointed as Special Grass Officer in addition to his own duties under the control of the Revenue Member of the State Council.

The two posts of Verawal and Patan Vahivatdars having been amalgamated, there will be now only one Vahivatdar who will keep his Headquarters at Verawal, keeping it as the District town.

Mr. Ravirai H. Baxi, M.A., B.Sc., LL.B., who has been working on probation as City Magistrate is confirmed on his post. In view of his satisfactory work, he is granted, as a special case, one increment of Rs. 10 p.m. in Munsiff's grade from the date of his confirmation.

Resignation of Mr. J. A. Vakil, B.A.(Bom.), M.E.D.(London), M.R.S.T., Head Master, Mahabat Madressa High School, has been accepted and Mr. A. R. Kazi, B.Sc., B.T., First Assistant Mahabat Madressa High School, is appointed to act as Headmaster in his place until further orders.

Dr. S. S. Joshi, B.Sc.(Bom.), Ph.D.(Ger.), Assistant Professor of Physics, Bahauddin College, is confirmed on his post, on the recommendation of the Principal of the College, his grade is also favourably revised.

Profiteering In Junagadh

Like every other city in the country the merchants of Junagadh have raised the prices of all the commodities, some to the extent of 75 per cent. Even the articles of daily necessities like sugar, kerosene, etc., have not escaped. Profiteering of a very bad kind has become general. Public is feeling it very keenly. The State is considering to take some steps to eradicate this evil.

The Dewan Saheb who is keenly interested to know the local conditions personally and for this purpose moves among and mixes with the people freely, is fully alive of the situation.

JUNAGADH PENALIZES PROFITEERING

(From Our Correspondent).
JUNAGADH, Sept. 10.

H. H. the Nawab of Junagadh has graciously issued a Firman, fixing up the prices of foodstuffs and other necessities till the Dewan of the State has appointed price control Boards for the various Mahals of the State under the general control of the Revenue Member, Junagadh State Council, for the fixation and revision from time to time of the prices of the various commodities, in the State.

Disobedience of the Firman shall be punishable with imprisonment for three years and fine.

If any trader is so convicted, the Dewan Saheb may by an order in writing require him or his agent to make a return of his stock of commodity for which he has been convicted, and required him to place the whole or any portion of such stock at the disposal of the State on the payment at the price so fixed. Any trader contravening the above order shall be punishable with imprisonment upto 2 years and fine.

Offences mentioned above shall be cognizable, bailable, non-compoundable and triable summarily.

PRICE CONTROL PLANS IN U. P.

LUCKNOW, September 12.

It is understood that the U. P. Government issued a circular to all Divisional Commissioners in regard to steps to be taken to prevent profiteering. It is reported that Government will not allow any rise in prices of necessary articles above 10 per cent. from those prevailing up to September 1, last. The Commissioners were instructed to take steps under the Defence of India Ordinance to prevent undue rise in prices of such necessaries as salt, kerosene, cloth and medical supplies.—United Press.

Mayurbhanj Ban On Profiteering

BARIPADA, Sept. 11.

A committee of six members has been appointed under the chairmanship of the Chief Executive Officer, Mayurbhanj State, to enquire into the increase of prices of necessaries of life, following the declaration of war and to recommend measures that might be taken to prevent profiteering on the part of the traders

The Committee is asked to submit its report within the shortest possible time.

Meanwhile, a proclamation has been widely circulated by beat of drums and other means in all sub-divisions to the effect that persons charging undue prices for foodstuff, cloth, salt, kerosene oil and similar other commodities will be severely punished.—United Press.

NO INCREASE IN SUGAR PRICES

All-India Syndicate's Communique

CALCUTTA, Sept. 12.

The Indian Sugar Syndicate, in a 'communique,' refers to profiteering in sugar. It is stated that the Syndicate has no intention of increasing the basic prices.

The Syndicate has asked all members to unload all the current season sugar into markets before the end of October.—United Press.

FLUID RESOURCES SUFFICIENT

Progress Of Zoroastrian Co-operative Bank

The twelfth report of the Managing Committee of the Zoroastrian Co-operative Bank Limited for the year ended, 30th June, 1939 stating that the net profit for the year amounts to Rs. 7,396-8-10 after providing a sum of Rs. 2,500 for "reserve for bad debts and contingencies".

The fluid resources of the Bank sufficient to meet its liabilities. The Committee appeals to the depositors especially Parsees to continue their co-operation and help.

PROFITEERING IN MEDICINES AND DRUGS

Mr. M. N. Wagh, proprietor of Wagh and Sons, Chemists and Druggists, throws a flood of light on the methods of wholesale importers of pharmaceutical preparations and some Indian manufacturers' of chemicals and drugs. He says:—

From reliable information I learnt that a couple of days back the Bombay Government had invited some leading dealers in drugs and Chemicals for an interview and the result was that all of a sudden the prices collapsed. The price of quinine originally Rs. 24 per lb. was quoted at Rs. 80 and Rs. 90 per lb. till the 7th of September 1939, but it has bow come down to Rs. 32.

Similarly the prices of other drugs and patent medicines have gradually been going down. I have, therefore, to request the medicos and the public to be cautious in their purchases as there is sure chance of the prices settling down, not much above the pre-war level.

I take this opportunity to say a few words about some Indian manufacturers of pharmaceautical and indigenous preparations. I had since long my own doubts about the 'bona fides' of some of the preparations produced as pure Indian. I was all the while thinking that they were pure agents of the foreign manufacturers and simple packers. The present situation has proved the truth of this surmise.

As soon as England declared war against Germany and the news was flashed in the newspapers in India these pseudo-patriotic chemical and pharmaceutical companies instead of taking this golden opportunity to capture the Indian market by increasing the output, strictly adhering to, if not reducing the original prices, flashed circulars cancelling all previous prices and increasing them by 50 to 100 per cent.

What does this show? I leave this to be judged by the readers. I can only say that by doing this they have lost the sympathy of the Indian public in general and the medicos in particular on whose patronage they have been flourishing. Fresh circulars are being issued by them cancelling the previous enhanced prices. But they have taken care to inform their customers that no commission will be allowed on the list prices. This means that they have increased the prices by about 37½ per cent.

There are certain pharmaceutical preparations of German manufacture which are indispensable and are not now available in the market. The stock of these preparations has been now sealed by the Government, so far as the stocks lying with the accredited agents of the manufacturers is concerned. But some big merchants had, in anticipation of war, cornered these drugs, and now they are making enormous profits on them.

Even the patients of the poor class have to pay these high prices if they want to save their lives. I would, therefore, suggest that the Government should release the sealed stock for public use. Either these medicines should be supplied at pre-war prices direct to the patients at a doctor's certificate or the chemists and druggists should be supplied with these drugs in limited quantities making it a penal offence to charge more than the fixed price.

I appeal to the humanitarian sense of the Government of India and the Government of Bombay in particular and urge them to make the essential drugs available to the public.

Haslam's Talk On A. R. P.

Bombay Has No Fear From Gas

The following is the summary of the second of a series of talks, broadcast from the Bombay Studios of All-India Radio, on September 6, by the R. H. Haslam, Special A.R.P. Officer to the Government of Bombay.

Bombay has a population of about one and a quarter million people and for A.R.P. purposes we must sub-divide this population into about twenty A.R.P. controls which will follow the postal delivery areas, for these give an indication at once of the A.R.P. organization that is necessary.

For each of these controls we shall have to have a controlling A.R.P. organization and within these controls we shall have to have smaller units and these smaller units will be the postal beats. For each of these postal beats we shall have to have at least three air raid wardens.

Although wardens should ordinarily be men there is no reason why women should not perform those duties particularly in districts where nearly all the men are at work throughout the day.

An air warden must be a responsible citizen and should have the confidence of his neighbour. He will be able to calm them and reassure them, to help them and in a word to do everything possible to avert panic.

It should be the wardens aim to form a kind of informal squad to assist in his sector to whom he can turn for help should damage be caused within it.

Until there are sufficient volunteers for all A.R.P. services in his area, the warden should do what he can to interest his friends and get them to volunteer for A.R.P. work.

Duties Of A Warden

The organization has however taken shape and several influential bodies are now interesting themselves on the subject of A.R.P. Committees for each of the postal sub-delivery areas.

When the organization is working, as I hope it soon will be, the duties of air raid wardens will be to know the organization of air raid services in their locality and the means by which they should communicate with them, to advise persons in the streets after an air raid warning, to get away from the roads and get under cover (for any cover is better than none), to report immediately the fall of bombs or shells, to report fire, to reconnoitre the extent of the damage caused, to assist occupants of damaged buildings, to guide the police, the fire brigade, first aid parties, rescue parties, etc. on arrival at the scene of the damage. They should set an example of coolness amongst their neighbours and should assist in every possible way to prevent panic.

There are now in Bombay hundreds of men who had been trained by the St. John Ambulance Association, by the Parsee A.R.P. Committee, by the Safety First Association and by other organisations. Very soon we shall be able to organise all these men so that the risk of panic will be reduced to a minimum.

Danger Of Gas-Remote In Bombay

Gas, at least in this part of the world, is one of the least dangers to be expected.

It was not my intention to talk about gas at all but so many astonishing stories are current here that it seems necessary at once to "defunk" these rumours and I should be grateful if you yourselves would also help to squash them.

Fire

We must remember, however, that fire is a very great danger. Some time ago I asked for volunteers for the Auxiliary Fire Service and for the Auxiliary Fire Salvage Corps. So far, I have not had sufficient response and those of you who have any knowledge or engineering and constructional engineering are asked to volunteer your services to the A.R.P. Officer at the Head Police Office, Crawford Market.

In this connection I cannot do better than to advise you once again to order the Home Office publication Handbooks, numbers 6 and 9, which deal with air raid precautions in factories and business premises and the measures to be taken against incendiary bombs and fires which may be caused by them.

A. R. P. Intensive Course

Under an arrangement with the Air Raid Precautions Factory Committee, the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramway Management have decided to hold an intensive A.R.P. course, commencing Tuesday, September 19, in the conference hall, Electric House, Fort. Factory Executives will be given first preference. Candidates must have an elementary knowledge of Chemistry or Engineering or both. There will be four lectures daily and it is necessary to attend each of the four lectures given daily.

Seats in the first instance will be reserved for industrial organisations and admission will be by cards. These may be obtained on personal application only from Mr. V. R. Annaswamy Rao, Drawing Office. Electric House. Employees should bring a letter of introduction from their employers.

On the opening day, candidates must present themselves at 9-30 a.m.

"BEACH-WATCHERS" FOR KARACHI

Plans For Registration Of Volunteers

KARACHI, Sept. 11.

As a measure of defence of the port of Karachi, the creation of a corps of "beach-watchers", whose duty would be to supplement military and police surveillance, has been mooted out by the authorities, the details of which have been communicated to the city fathers by Mr. I. H. Taunton, Chief Secretary to the Government of Sind.

Mr. Taunton says:—

"The duty required would be to give early warning of any landing. Such messages could be communicated to the nearest military post by means of telephone or other methods which could be worked out in detail. To be of value the scheme may in many cases involve the provision of a camel with the watchers at the beaches in question.

"The enterprise of course will be purely a civilian one and could not be financed or controlled by the military authorities, although the institution of such a watch system would definitely be of assistance to them."

REGISTRATION OF VOLUNTEERS.

Registration of volunteers—male and female—for emergency service has started.

A meeting of Hindu citizens was held in this connection at the Amil Institute, where Mr. Nicholdar C. Wazirani and Diwan Dialmal Doulatram, Ministers, were also present.

Three committees were formed for enrolling male volunteers, female volunteers and collecting funds.

The Ministers' announced a donation of Rs. 30 each.—United Press.

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By BUD FISHER

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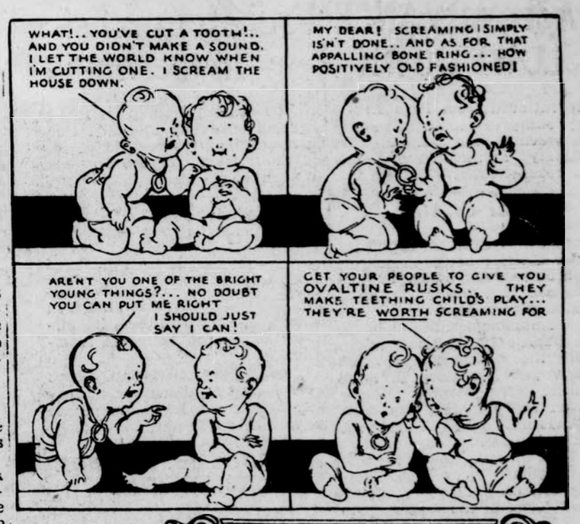
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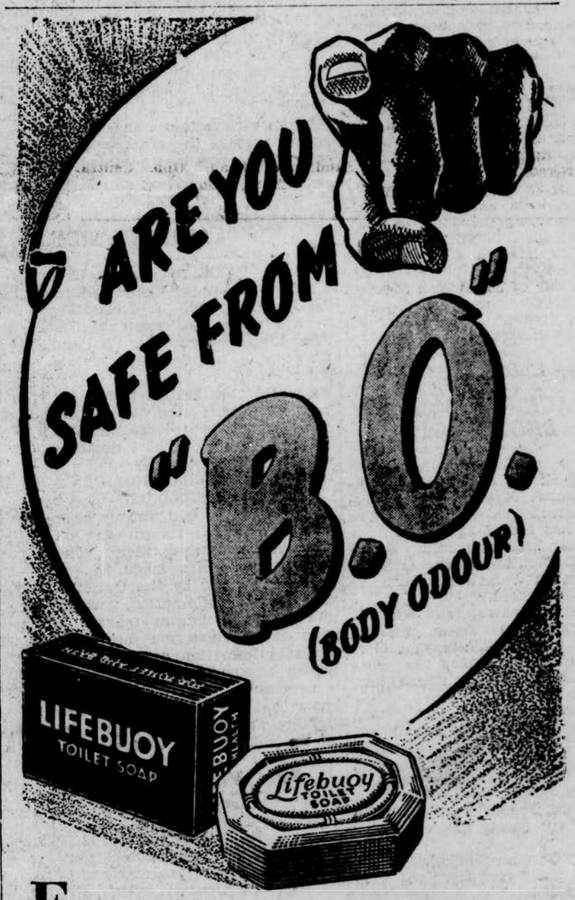

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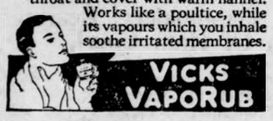

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"KHAVINDNE KHATAR", A HIT OF SEASON

Its Author "Phirozegar" To Be Given Benefit Performance On Ganesh Chaturthi Day

The Gujarati Natak Mandali (of Mr. Bapulal Nayak), which is well-known for staging dramas in Gujarati that appeal equally well to Parsis and Hindus gave four performances of their new drama "Khavindne Khatar," written by the veteran dramatist "Phirozegar," on Parsi and Hindu Holidays the last one on Khordad Sal (September 11), in the presence of huge audiences. The drama, in which Moonibai, the stage star took the leading part of the heroine, and the cast included several experienced stars and actors, proved a great hit of the season, who all did justice to a theme well chosen and ably conceived. The moral that it inculcated by pointing out to what length a woman, who is devoted to her husband, can go and make all sacrifices—just to be of service to her "lord on the earth.' Almost all actors having acquitted themselves creditably, mention of some names would be invidious.

The last performance of the same drama, in this season, will be held on Ganesh Chaturthi which falls on Saturday next (16th September), when its whole proceeds will be given as a purse to the author "Phirozegar" (Mr. Shroff), who is the author of over a dozen and a half dramas, some of which were staged in aid of charity, thus benefiting several institutions to the tune of several thousand rupees, in appreciation of his work. For these successful performances Mr. Bapulal Nayak and Mr. Darasha Kharas deserve thanks of the theatrical fans.

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER REPORT

(From Our Correspondent.)
POONA, Sept. 12.

The following are the maximum-minimum temperature and rainfall figures recorded at various stations during twenty-four hours ending 8 a.m. to-day:—

Station	Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall Past 24 Hours	Rainfall Total Since 1st June	Rainfall Difference to Normal.
Agra	91	76	—	18.4	—3.2
Amraoti	87	72	—	22.5	—1.9
Akola	87	72	—	24.5	+1.3
Ahmedabad	90	76	T	19.7	—5.3
Ajmer	89	76	—	7.5	—9.8
Ahmednagar	88	65	—	10.4	—3.8
Ambala	93	68	1.1	18.5	—2.7
Allahabad	85	76	0.2	35.4	+4.4
Benares	88	77	T	28.5	—2.5
Bareilly	89	73	T	26.7	—7.6
BOMBAY	86	78	0.1	50.4	—11.3
Bangalore	83	67	—	10.3	—5.1
Bhopal	83	71		44.4	—
Baroda	89	74	—	25.7	—
Belgaum	80	65	—	59.1	+23.2
Bahawalpore	101	82	—	1.7	—2.1
Bijapur	93	—	—	9.6	—1.1
Bellary	93	75	—	5.3	—2.6
Bhavnagar	87	73	—	24.7	+7.2
Chittagong	81	73	1.3	82.6	+14.3
Cuttack	87	77	0.3	36.3	—3.3
Cawnpore	91	75	4.7	28.4	—0.2
Calicut	83	75	—	85.0	+1.9
Colombo	87	79	—	21.5	+3.0
Cherapunji	69	64	2.3	303.8	+13.7
Cocanada	86	78	0.1	18.3	—0.3
Cochin	82	77	—	74.9	+7.1
Dehra Dun	85	71	0.1	82.9	+13.2
Delhi	94	82	—	12.5	—7.7
Dehra I. Khan	94	74	—	0.3	—4.7
Desa	—	74	—	11.0	—10.8
Dalhousie	—	—	0.2	47.5	—6.8
Fort Sandeman	94	65	0.1	3.5	—1.7
Gorakhpur	88	76	2.4	45.2	+7.4
Hyderabad (Dn.)	90	76	—	11.7	—8.8
Hyderabad (Sd.)	98	79	—	—	—5.7
Indore	79	70	0.1	30.3	+3.8
Jhansi	89	74	—	32.1	+2.1
Jubbulpore	81	71	1.0	50.3	+4.3
Jacobabad	102	80	—	—	—2.2
Jaipur	93	76	—	7.3	—13.0
Karachi	85	78	—	0.1	—5.7
Kodaikanal	63	53	1.1	14.1	—4.8
Khandwa	81	72	—	24.8	+1.3
Lucknow	88	76	—	28.9	—1.7
Ludhiana	95	70	0.6	11.9	—7.9
Lahore	96	72	—	7.4	—6.7
Lyallpur	96	75	—	5.4	—5.0
Multan	97	82	—	2.6	—2.3
Mysore	85	67	—	6.1	—5.0
Madras	90	75	T	5.3	—7.1
Marmagoa	83	76	T	70.1	—
Malegaon	89	68	—	16.3	+1.7
Mussoorie	75	56	—	53.2	—14.4
Mahableshwar	69	60	0.2	213.3	—29.0
Murree	69	56	—	21.1	—12.2
Mount Abu	69	62	0.1	19.3	—34.3
Masulipatam	90	80	—	12.7	—8.0
Mangalore	84	75	—	95.4	—6.1
Meerut	—	—	—	13.7	—2.2
Mercara	74	61	—	79.4	—18.8
Nagpur	87	—	T	33.0	—5.4
Ootacamund	66	49	—	24.4	+0.9
Patna	90	77	0.8	42.2	+5.2
Peshawar	93	76	—	1.1	—3.1
Poona	84	70	—	14.0	—3.2
Pachmarhi	73	66	2.8	86.4	+23.2
Port Blair	86	74	—	43.5	—15.3
Quetta	84	47	—	0.6	—
Rawalpindi	80	71	—	16.1	—4.9
Ratnagiri	83	73	0.6	117.8	+29.8
Rajkot	89	73	T	4.9	—17.6
Sialkot	88	70	—	15.3	—5.6
Srinagar	81	54	—	3.0	—3.8
Sholapur	95	72	—	8.9	—8.1
Shillong	75	64	0.2	49.8	+0.9
Simla	67	53	0.6	42.1	—2.6
Surat	86	76	T	28.7	—6.5
Salem	87	70	0.6	18.4	+1.9
Trichinopoly	91	76	—	8.4	—0.2
Trivandrum	87	77	—	26.7	+0.1
Vizagapatam	92	80	—	9.1	—8.1

T indicates rainfall of 1 to 4 Cents.

RAINFALL RECORD

BOMBAY, Sept. 12

The monsoon has been strong in the east United Provinces and active in North-East India, east Central India and along and near North-East Punjab and the United Provinces hills. Local rain occurred in the Central Provinces, and Konkan, while a few falls were reported from west Central India, Baluchistan East Gujarat, South-East Madras, and Madras Deccon.

The chief amounts of rainfall were: Cawnpore five inches; Pachmarhi, and Sambalpur three; Gorakhpur, Cherrapunji, two; Cox's Bazar, Chittagong, Jalpaiguri, Nowgong, Seoni one and half; Barisal, Daltonganj, Jubbulpore, Pendra, Muktesar, Ambala, Dharampur, Kodaikanal one; Patna, Gaya three-quarters; Ludhiana, Simla, Salem half

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 12-9-1939.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours —.030 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 81.3 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 74.6 degrees

Maximum temperature during 24 hrs 86.4 degrees 1.4 (above normal)

Minimum temperature during 24 hrs 78.0 degrees 2.6 (above normal)

Relative humidity at 8 a.m. 72 per cent

Direction of wind at 8 a.m WSW

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m 4 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 141 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 25 miles per hour

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10) 2

Rain in 24 hours 0.10 inches

Total rainfall during the month 1.74 inches

Total rainfall during the year 50.37 inches.

Weather remark: Rain

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 12-9-1939

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time and temperature 82.8 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 30.02 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.81 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

CO-OP. SOCIETY SECRETARY REMANDED

Alleged To Have Misappropriated Rs. 10,000

Shripad Krishna Kerkar was remanded into Police custody till the 26th instant by Mr. Indravadan N. Mehta, on a complaint of criminal misappropriation of large sums of money amounting to Rs. 10,000 made by the Chairman of the Lad Hindu Co-operative Credit Society. It is suspected that the alleged misappropriation extended over a period of five years. Accused was the Society's Secretary.

HELPING BRITAIN IN TIME OF WAR

Councillors' Proposals To Kurla Municipality

(From Our Correspondent.)
KURLA, Sept. 11.

About ten councillors of the Kurla Municipality have requested the President to call a special meeting of the General Board to consider their following propositions:—

"That the Board hereby resolve to do their utmost in their power to help the British Government to prosecute the war to a successful conclusion and assures the British Government and His Majesty the King-Emperor of their loyalty and patriotism in the present conflict against the forces of tyranny and oppression and prays that the same may be brought to a speedy and successful victory." "The Board hereby authorises the President to correspond with the Government and the A. R. P Officer. Mr. R. H. Haslam, with a view to devise measures for public safety including air-raid precautions in Kurla by arranging a series of lectures of the A. R P officer and by giving instructions at various places through him with lantern slides at the earliest."

Man Stabbed To Death?

(From Our Correspondent.)
KURLA, Sept. 11.

On charges of murdering Jivaji Pandu, aged 30 years, and causing injury to Krishnabai Nana, also aged 30 years, Sakharam Raghu aged 30, a coolie of the G. I. P. Railway, was arrested by Sub-Inspector S. H. Sawant of the Kurla Police.

The suspect is alleged to have stabbed Jivaji and Krishnabai on Friday, Jivaji died in Kurla Hospital on Saturday. Krishnabai and Sakharam, the suspect, are detained in Kurla Hospital for treatment of their injuries.

Enemy Of Socialism And Democracy

(Continued from Page 6).

needs, our naval blockade will be ineffective. It is theoretically possible that he may also sell arms to Poland.

The event will show the real meaning of his reversal of policy. Is it merely a withdrawal from Europe, a retreat into isolation, that reflects the failure of the whole Communist strategy of democratic defence?

Does it mean that the primary concern of Russia lies now rather in the Far East than in Europe? Or are we to suppose that a positive rapprochement, an agreement for friendly collaboration, links Nazi Germany with Communist Russia?

We cannot yet answer these questions; all that we certainly know is that Stalin has bound himself for ten years to take no part in any action for collective security aimed at the arch-aggressor.

We have our criticisms of the past and our doubts about the future. But over our duty, as war overwhelms us, we can admit no doubt at all.

We cherish no illusion that arms alone can bring liberty and civilisation to Europe. But the fate of half a continent warns us that men who are too poor in spirit to resist will go under as slaves. Neither Socialism nor democracy has a future in Europe or even in our own island, if brutality and violence can prosper under a madman's guidance.

Let our courage be worthy of the causes we serve

(WORLD COPYWRIGHT RESERVED).

12 HARIJANS EMBRACE ISLAM

NAGPUR. (By Mail).

According to a Betul message, says the Jubbulpore correspondent of the "Hitavada", 12 Kotwars of the town who are alleged to have been refused admission to a Hindu Temple on account of their being Harijans, have embraced Islam.—A. P.

AROUND THE COURTS

Bombay, Tuesday.

Ahmad Mohamad was arrested yesterday in Falkland Road when he was said to have been found in possession of four pills of charas. He was offered bail till the 19th instant by Mr. Barodawalla at the Girgaum Court today.

At the inquest held on Hamidsha Jurgalsha, the City Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death due to an accidental fall from a plank tied to the side of the S.S. Nizam, which was undergoing repairs in Alexandra Dry Dock.

Saibadshaw Jargushaw deposed that the deceased was his brother about 40 years of age. Witness with his deceased brother was working, standing on a plank tied against the side of the ship. He saw to his surprise the deceased fall down on the stone paved floor of the Dock. He died on the spot.

Alleged Murder

The new Bawan Chawl at Albert Road was the scene of a ghastly tragedy at midnight yesterday.

Murthu Jhankhan Mahomad Khan and Baichandkhan Nazir Mohamad, are alleged to have murdered Lalkhan, (an oil merchant), who was found in a pool of blood.

Three alleged accomplices of the accused, Hirashah Rahim Shah, Maikoodaljit and Fakhir Mohamad were, it is stated attempting to escape when the Kalachowki police presented themselves on the scene.

All the accused were ordered to be remanded into police custody till the 26th instant by Mr. K. C. Thakore at the Dadar Court to-day.

A verdict of death due to copper sulphate poisoning which he voluntarily administered to himself, was recorded by the Coroner at the inquest held on Suleiman Dawood.

His body was found in a latrine at Alexandra Dock on Saturday.

Removed Purse While Talking

When Krishna Y. Karkera was having a solitary walk along the Esplanade Maidan last night a man is alleged to have engaged him in conversation and removed a purse from his right hand pocket and ran away.

The sudden disappearance of the accused roused the suspicion of complainant who, the remand application states, "caught him by the sari". He was arrested and produced before the Chief Presidency Magistrate who remanded him into police custody till the 26th.

"Chandul Smoking"

Five men were arrested by the police on a charge of conducting a "chundul smoking" den and also of being found in a smoking den at Kamathipura on Saturday.

They were placed before Mr. M A. F. Coelho, Presidency Magistrate to-day at Mazagaon Court, and were ordered to be released on bail.

Another eleven persons were arrested by the city police in different parts of the city during the week-end, on charges of possessing opium and charas.

They were put up before the Magistrate to-day, when they were ordered to be released on bail.

Indian Readers' Digest

"The Indian Readers' Digest" for September 1939 as usual contains useful articles. The matter is admittedly not original but careful editing and wise condensation make the matter presented take on a new and attractive garb. There are number of cartoons, besides the usual features. The number is cheap at 8 annas.

Corporation By-Elections

The Independent Labour Party invites applications for candidates for the forthcoming Bombay Municipal by-elections due to vacancies created by the death of Mr. Gunavant Kapadia and the resignation of Mr D. S. Babrekar.

JANMASHTAMI CELEBRATIONS AT GAUDIYA MATH

(From A Correspondent).

The anniversary of Sri Krishna was celebrated by the members of the Bombay branch of the Gaudiya Math at Kalyandas Building Gowalia Tank Road, on 7th, 8th and 9th inst., with a crowded programme, terminating with feeding of about 1,200 poor people.

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LATEST COMMERCIAL NEWS

NEW YORK COTTON ONE POINT DOWN

Brighter Sentiment On London Stock Exchange

CROSS RATE DECLINES TO 4.03 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON BOMBAY: September 12.

The New York Market displayed brighter sentiment on local support, but further rise did not materialise due to slackened activity in textiles. Prices gradually receded on hedge pressure and liquidation.

The movement in Broach was confined to narrow margin.

London Gold remains unchanged.

Silver in London was almost steady with a small decline of 1/16d.

London Stock Exchange was dull in the opening, but later brighter sentiment prevailed.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

OCTOBER 1939

New York, Sept. 12.

Previous closing	9.29
To-day's opening	9.37
Difference	+.08
To-day's closing	9.28
Difference	—.01

LIVERPOOL COTTON

OCTOBER 1939.

Liverpool, Sept. 12.

Previous closing	6.31
To-day's opening	6.41
Difference	+.10
To-day's closing	6.33
Difference	+.02

Broach A/M Expectation ..... Rs. 182-8

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, Sept. 12.

New York cotton exhibited brighter sentiment on scattered local buying but slackening activity in textiles and increasing crop movement continue to check any aggressive rise.

The trading in October began at 9.37 i.e. eight points higher than the last closing. Prices early rose on better Liverpool cables and trade fixing and speculative buying, but thereafter, rates gradually receded on hedging and liquidation with October easing to 9.32.

BOMBAY COTTON

Late Trading

Bombay, Sept. 12.

In the local market Broach April/May opened at Rs. 189 and then the rate improved to Rs. 190/8 but the closing was slightly easier at Rs. 188/12.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Sept. 12.

Following were the opening ranges on New York Cotton Exchange:—

October (9.08/9.09) 9.37/9.37
December (9.06/9.07) 9.26/9.27
January (9.06/9.08) 9.24/9.24

Liverpool Cotton

Liverpool, Sept. 12.

American October (6.45) 6.36
American December (6.46) 6.22
Giza October (8.19) 8.25
Giza December (8.19) 8.21

LONDON COMMODITIES

London, Sept. 12.

JUTE

First Marks C. I. F. Continent New Crop August September (unquoted) unquoted

Dundee September £25 3/4 (Fixed Max.)

Lightning September £23 (Fixed Max).

RUBBER

Spot (10 1/8 paid and buyers) 10 value

Forward October December (10 3/8 paid and buyers) 10 1/4 paid and sellers.

METALS

Tin (£229 3/4 buyers £230 sellers, steady) £229 3/4 buyers £230 sellers. Steady

Lead (£16 1/2 buyers £16 5/8 sellers. Firm) unquoted

Copper (£52 to 53 1/2) unquoted

Iron (£102) unquoted

WHEAT AND SEEDS

Closing Night Quotations

Bombay, Sept 12.

Wheat September	3 4 0
Wheat January	3 11 8
Wheat May	3 11 0
Linseed September	5 8 0
Wheat May	5 14 8
Groundnuts February	34 0 0
Castorseeds September	35 8 0
Castorseeds May	34 4 0
Cottonseeds September	30 10 0
Cottonseeds January	28 9 0

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Sept. 12.

The following are the opening rates: General Motors (del 53 1/2) del 54 7/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (del 38) del 38 7/8
U S Common New Stock (del 70 1/2) del 70 3/4
U S Steel Preference (del 118) del 118 1/8

EXCHANGES

CROSS RATES

T. T NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, Sept. 12.

Previous closing	4.04 3/8
To-day's opening	not received
At the time of New York cotton closing	4.03 1/2

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, Sept. 12.

Previous closing	4.02 to 4.06
To-day's opening	4.02 to 4.06
To-day's closing	4.02/to 4.06

T. T. LONDON ON PARIS

London, Sept. 12.

Previous closing	176 to 177
To-day's opening	176 to 177
To-day's closing	176 to 177

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Sept. 12.

London Exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.02 to 4.06 which is officially fixed rate.

Franc was officially fixed at 176 to 177.

CROSS RATES.

London on Bombay (1-5 31/32 sellers) 1-5 31/32 sellers
Paris on Bombay (13.18 1/4) 13.18 1/2
New York on Bombay (30.36) 30.39
Berlin on Bombay Deleted
London on Milan unquoted
London on Shanghai 9-4 nominal.
London on Kobe (1-1 7/8 buyers 1-2 1/32 sellers) 1-1 7/8 buyers 1-2 1/32 sellers

DISCOUNTS

3 months (3 3/4 to 3 7/8 per cent) 3 3/4 per cent
4 months (4 1/2 to 5 per cent) 4 1/2 to 4 3/4 per cent.
6 months (5 per cent) 5 per cent

BULLION

Influx (nil) nil
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Gold (£8-8-0) £8-8-0
Silver 20 7/8d.

LONDON SILVER CABLE

London, Sept. 12.

The following cable regarding London silver market was received in Bombay speculators bought and sold. Market steady.

LONDON SILVER

London, Sept. 12.

Spot	(20 15/16d) 20 7/8d—1/16
Forward	(20 15/16d) 20 7/8d—1/16

LONDON GOLD

London, Sept. 12.

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£8-8-0) £8-8-0

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Night Quotations

Bombay, Sept 12.

SILVER

Silver ready	56 12 0
Silver Bhadrapad	56 3 0
Silver Ashe	56 7 0

GOLD

Gold ready	40 2 9
Gold Bhadrapad	40 3 0
Gold Ashe	40 3 6
Sovereign	26 5 0

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. One Crore and fifty lacs of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday, the 12th September 1939. Total amount offered was Rs. 1,80,50,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-5-0 and above were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-4-0 allotted approximately 33 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. 1,50,00,000, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 2-12-11 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. One Crore and fifty lacs of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 19th September 1939. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 22nd September 1939. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 8th September 1939, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 1,17,50,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

Three months' intermediates will be sold from 12th September 1939 to 18th September 1939 at Rs. 99-5-0 subject to the conditions previously announced (viz. Sales can be stopped at any time without previous notice if Government think it necessary).

Three months' intermediates sold from 5th to 11th September 1939 amounted to Rs. 38,50,000.

3½% INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Sept. 12.

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed at £79 1/4

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Sept. 12.

London Stock Exchange ruled brighter after the early dullness.

INDIAN LOANS

3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (unquoted) £82
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (unquoted) £78 1/4
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (unquoted) £104
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (unquoted) £105
4 per cent Indian Stock 1948-88 (unquoted) £100
5 per cent 1942-47 (unquoted) £108 1/2
4 per cent (unquoted) £91

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent 1945-55 (£96) £96

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£62 1/4) £62 1/4
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£87 1/2) £87 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£100 3/8) £100 3/4
5 per cent Funding Loan (£102 1/2) £102 1/2
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£88 1/2) £88 1/2
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£102) £102

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (12-6) 12-7 1/2
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (50-0) 45
Hydro Electric (del 3) del 3
Elec Music Industry (3-6) 3
Princhin Johnson (21-10 1/2) 21-10 1/2
Imperial Chemical (31-1 1/2) 30-4 1/2
Woolsworth New Ordinary (61-0) 53-1 1/2
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates 1889 (£16) £16
Dunlop Rubber (26-3) 25-9
Unilever Ordinary (34-1 1/2) 33-0
Ford Motors (15-7 1/2) 16-3
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£40) £46
British American Tobacco Ordinary (53-0) 50
Carreas 'A' (£5 3/4) £5 3/4
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (117-6) 115
P and O Def (22-6) 23-3
Distillers (31-3) 30-6
Bradford Dye (4-7 1/2) 5-4 1/2
British Celanese (5-1 1/2) 5-6
J and P Coates Ordinary (28-1 1/2) 28-0
Courtaulds Ordinary (29) 29-0
Fine Cotton Spinners (3-9) 4-3
Vickers Limited Ordinary (17-7 1/2) 17-6
Inter Nickels (del 53) del 54
Indian Iron (50) 53-9

TEA SHARES

Assam (15-7 1/2) 15-7 1/2
Donara Tea (unquotes) 27-6
Empire of India (21-0) 21

JUTES

Barnagore (£19-0) £19

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (27-6) 26-0
Gula Kelampong (18-0) 18-0
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (28-9) 28-9

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (30-0) 30-7 1/2
Burma Corporation (10-0) 10-0
Rio Tintos (£12) £12
East Rand Proprietors (50-0) 48-9
Rand Mines (£8 1/2) £9 1/2

MINE SHARES

Crown (£15 3/4) £15 1/2
Associated Portland Cement (76-7 1/2) 76-0
Trinidad Leaseholds (87-6) 87-6
Sub Nigel (£19 7/6) £19 3/6
Spring Mines Split Shares (24-3) 25
Union Corporation (£6 7/8) £6 7/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (21-10 1/2) 22-6
Anglo Persian (78-9) 78-9
Burma Oil (88-3) 88-3
Mexican Eagle (4-6) 4-3
Shell Transport (88-4 1/2) 88-9
Royal Dutch (£89) £89 1/4

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary (£24 1/2) £24 1/2
London Midland Ordinary (£10 5/8) £10
London North-Eastern Def (£2 5/8) £3
London Southern Def (£3 3/4) £3
London Transport 5 per cent (£106) £106
London Transport 'C' (£66 1/2) £66 1/2

PEPPER AND GINGER MARKET

(From The Pepper and Ginger Merchants Association Ltd.)

Bombay, Sept. 12.

	Rs. a. p.
Pepper ready Alleppey per candy	90 0 0
Pepper ready Calicut per candy	89 0 0
Pepper Bhadreva Sud 15th per candy	90 0 0
Pepper Ashe Sud 15th per candy	90 0 0
Pepper Maha Sud 15th per candy	84 0 0
Pepper ready Lampong in Bond per cwt.	13 0 0
Ginger ready unbleached per cwt.	14 0 0
Ginger ready bleached per cwt.	17 0 0
Ginger Maha Sud 15th per cwt.	17 0 0

KARACHI PRODUCE MARKET

Karachi, Sept. 12.

To-day's closing quotations:—

Sind cotton Jan.	16 12 0
Punjab Jan.	14 15 0
Desi American Jan.	20 10 0
Tone weak and sellers.	
Wheat September	25 1 3
November	25 10 9
January	26 6 3
July	26 4 3
Tone quiet.	
Gram September	31 4 0
November	31 10 3
January	31 14 6
July	27 8 6
Toria September	26 15 6
November	37 11 0
February	37 6 0
Cottonseed Sept.	26 6 0
January	20 6 0

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

Steadier Feeling In Jutes And Coals

CALCUTTA, Sept. 12.

Jutes ruled steady and unchanged and a fair volume of business was put through. In coals steadier feeling was again noticed to-day and a fair number of deals were reported at gradually advancing prices Teas were rather dull. In the miscellaneous section speculative issues ruled steady. Other industrials did not show much importance. Government securities were steady.

The following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities:—Three per cent new loan 1963/65 90; 3 1/2 per cent Government paper 88/13; four per cent loan 1960/70 100/8 small lot, five per cent loan 1940/43 100/12 small lot; five per cent loan 1945/55 105/14; five per cent U.P. Bonds 1944 101/10 small odd lot.

Banks:—Reserve 95/8.

Cottons:—Cawnpore Textiles 4/4; New Victoria ordy 1/2

Coals:—Amalgamated 27/8; Bengal 2/8; Bokaro and Ramgur 16/6; Burrakur 14/12 small lot; Dhemo Main 13/12 c div; East Indian 23/12; Equitable 37/4; Hurriladih 13/14; Nazira 9/4; New Beerbhoom 18/4; Raneegunge 34; Simla 2/4; Tatcher 1/10 small lot; West Jamuria 33

Jutes:—Adamjee 13/10; Alliance 46; Anglo-India 372; Auckland 196; Bally 288; Barnagore 159; Belvedere 400; Budge Budge 310; Champdany 150; Clive 27/12; Delta 404; Empire 29; Fort Gloster 527; Fort William 242; Gouripore 642; Howrah 60/9; Hukumchand 4/5; India 318; Kamarhatty 552; Kankinarrah 435; Kelvin 483/8; Megna 25/4; National 25/12; Nellimarla 11/10; New Central 312; Nuddea 59/8; Presidency 4; Reliance 65; Union 386; Waverley 1/9

Miscellaneous:—Burma corporation 7; Calmia cement ord 11; pref 89; Bengal chemical 352; ex div; pref 16/10 ex div; Benares electric 11/4 small lot; Bengal telephone 17/4; Arthur Butler 10/12; Burn and Co. ord 325; six per cent pref 124; Braithwaite 9/14; Hukumchand steel ord 6/13; Indian iron and steel 35/12; Indian Galvanizing 26/4; Indian steel and wire products ord 40/8; defd 33; Kumardhubi Engineering ordy 3/8 small lot; Marshalls 2/2 small lot, National iron and steel 3/15; steel corpn. ordy 16/8; pref 89; Balmer Lawrie 271/8; a i corpn 3/13; Dunlop rubber ord 24/4; Indian cables 13/8; British Burma petrol 5/1; Moola oil 1/8; Titaghur paper a ordy 16/8; b ordy 16 small lot; India General Navigation ordy 1091; Buland 14/12; Carew and Co., ordy 12/4; pref 106; Cawnpore 20/12; Raza 14/4; Murree Brewery 10; Samastipore 3.

Teas:—Bishnauth 20/12 ex div; Eastern Cachar 8/4; East India 7/12; Patrakola pref 128.

Debenture:—Three and quarter per cent 1956/86 Howrah Bridge 93/8.—A.P.

MADRAS SHARE MARKET

Tendency Firm

Madras, Sept. 12.

Cotton mill shares remained firm in the local market, where a fair turnover took place in most issues. Planting issues were in better demand in sympathy with the fresh increase in the price of the commodity in London. Among miscellaneous, engineering issues were firm on better advices. Paper shares remained slightly easier. Bank shares remained quiet. Government securities were dull

Exchange Transactions 3 per cent Govt. paper Rs. 72/4, 3 per cent Rs. 63; 65, G. I. Loan Rs. 89/10, 4 per cent 98/70, G. I. Loan Rs. 99/4 small odd lot, 99/10, 99/14, 100/8, 5 per cent 45/55 G. I. Loan Rs. 104/6, 3 per cent 56-61 Mysore Rs. 98/2 odd lot.

Imperial Bank of India Rs. 317/8, Indian Bank Rs. 20.

Buckingham and Carnatic ordy Rs. 200 x d, Madura Mills Rs. 29/12, 30, 30/2, Coimbatore cotton Rs. 68/12, 69/8, Vasantha Mills Rs. 90, 91, Bangalore woollen and cotton Rs. 162, B. I. corporation ordy Rs. 3/15, Lakshmi Mills Rs. 34/8, 35, Midland rubbers Rs. 2/13, 2/14, 2/15, 3 per cent Cochin Malabar (2/12) Rs. 4/12, Cochin Malabar (3) Rs. 5, 5/2, 5/4, Valliamattam Rs. 13, 13/4, Cochin rubber Rs. 10/4, small lot, Jeypore sugars pref Rs. 74 small lot 75 small odd lot, India sugars ordy Rs. 7/2, West Coast elecs Rs. 7/4, small lot, Mysore paper Rs. 10/6, 10/8, 11, Associated cements Rs. 130, Cash 131, Oct. Indian Cable Co. Ltd., Rs. 13/4, Howrah Jute Co. Rs. 59/8, Indian copper corporation Rs. 2/6, 2/7/6, 2/8, 2/8/6, 2/9, 2/9/3, 2/10, 2/11, Burma corporation Rs. 6/13, 6/14, 7/1, Indian irons Rs. 34, 34/9, 34/12, 35, 35/8, 35/12, steel corporation ordy Rs. 16/2, Indian steel rolling mills ordy Rs. 3/8, Tata ordy Rs. 342 Oct.

The following are a few of the closing quotations: Buckingham and Carnatics Rs. 199, Madura mills Rs. 30/4, Bangalore woollen and cotton Rs. 163, Lakshmi mills Rs. 35, Tropical plantations Rs. 10/8, Coorg rubber Rs. 19/8, Cochin Malabars Rs. 5/6, Midlands Rs. 3/4, Mysore sugars Rs 36/8, Mysore papers Rs. 10/12.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS

Bombay, Sept. 12.

Caltex India s.s. Attila of 4729 reg tons Capt C L Larsen arrived from Bahrein with cargo of kerosene and gasoline

Volkart Bros s.s. Bengkalis of 4056 reg tons Capt S A Jonker arrived from Vancouver with general cargo

Anchor Line s.s. Circassia of 6520 reg tons Capt W Gemmell arrived from Glasgow with passengers and general cargo

James Finlay s.s. Clan Macinnes of 2826 reg tons Capt H S Pengelly arrived from Glasgow with general cargo

Killick Nixon s.s. Guido of 2405 reg tons Capt A P Dugdale arrived from Birkenhead with general cargo

Scindia Steam Nvg s.s. Jalarashmi of 2681 reg tons Capt E W Courteney arrived from Calcutta with cargo of coal.

Volkart Bros s.s. Marken of 2353 reg tons Capt T Ross arrived from Karachi with general cargo

P and O S N s.s. Bhutan of 2911 reg tons Capt F McEwan arrived from London with general cargo

Lionel Edwards s.s. City of Royville of 3666 reg tons Capt A P Cronin arrived from Philadelphia with general cargo

LOADING.

The following vessels booked for loading on 12-9-39.

S S Guido
S S Bhutan
S S Jalaratna
S S Tango Maru

IMPORTS.

Bombay, Sept. 12.

S S Burdwan: 550 bags green beans; 960 bdls cassia; 200 cases fire crackers; 87 pkgs matting; 50 cases sugar candy; 3299 bags green beans; 1600 d/bags white round peas; 75 bales cotton yarn; 122 bales raw silk; 50 cases herb tonic; 100 bags china clay; 300 slabs tin; 51 bags pearl tapioca; 159 bags betelnuts; 480 cylds cocoanut oil; 174 d/s cement.

S S Ranpura: 32 cases ball bearings; 116 cases jams sauce, provision etc; 485 cases gin; 48 cases cigarettes; 48 bales bacon; 516 cases whisky, 37 cases sherry 35 cases oil stores; 1063 bars s ware, 171 brls aniline colours, 100 dms hydrosulfite of soda 50 d/bags dextrine; 83 cases cond milk, 281 cases brandy; 75 bales wrapping paper; 109 bags pistachoes en coques; 200 bags bajree; 102 cases fruit juice.

S S Gazana: 1031 bags cocoanuts; 174 pkgs coffee; 287 cases cashew kernels; 1350 bags gram bran; 34812 bags rice; 500 bags millet; 121 bags betelnuts; 50 bales cotton hosiery waste; 97845 pcs and bdls teak wood; 1946 dms oil; 163 dms grease; 2111 cases candles; 51 nos block tin; 475 pkgs wax; 449 cases safety matches; 50 bags dry ginger

PROGRESS OF SATYAGRAHA

Arrests Galore Of Congressmen In Mysore

(From Our Correspondent)

BANGALORE CITY, September, 10.

The Third Mysore Congress Dictator, Shri. R. Raghava Reddy with a batch of 26 volunteers defied the prohibitory order at Robertsonpet on Saturday last and were arrested. One Satyagrahi, Shri. B. P. Laxmiah Setty of Kolar was brought to Bowringpet and released. The rest were taken to the lock-up.

It may be recalled that Shri. Raghava Reddy, an advocate of Robertsonpet was externed from the place immediately after the arrest of the Congress President and others.

The case against Shri. N. C. Thimma Reddy at Kolar has been posted to the 14th inst.

The Chitaldroog District Congress Committee has been dissolved and Shri. K. N. Rajasekharaiya Hiremath has been appointed the first District Dictator.

Arrangements are made for the inauguration of volunteers' camp at Chitaldroog.

AT TUMKUR

Notices under Sec. 107 have been served on Shris. Vitobha Rao, Mali Mariappa, first Tumkur district Dictator, A. Revama, B. C. Nanjundaiya, and M. Neelakanta Rao and the last four were arrested on Saturday last. Shri. B. Nanjundappa of Sampige is appointed the II Tumkur District Dictator.

The batch of 5 volunteers who went on a walking tour from Bangalore reached Bowringpet at 6-30 P.M. on Saturday last. They will defy the prohibitory order at Robertsonpet on Sunday.

A batch of 22 volunteers led by Shri. N. R. Chikkanna 1st Dictator of Goribidanur Taluk were taken out in procession on Saturday round the town. A public meeting was held under the Presidentship of Shri. N. R. Chikkanna to give a send-off to the volunteers. The batch left Goribidanur on Sunday morning and arrived at Bangalore at 10 A.M. They will proceed to Robertsonpet to defy the order by the morning train on 11-9-39.

Plea For Modification Of Fodder Rates

Haji Nasiruddin Valimahomed and several others in the course of a communique to the Hon. Mr. Monarji R. Desai, Revenue Minister to the Government of Bombay state:

As now there has been abundance of rain everywhere and the fear of famine absolutely removed, we beg now to request that the fodder rates fixed be modified. The object of the Ordinance was to ensure that there should be no increase in the previous rates of different qualities which were normally as under:—

1st quality: Musi and Ber about Rs. 12|- per 1000 lbs.

2nd quality: Musi and Ler mixed about Rs. 10|- per 1000 lbs.

3rd quality: Ful Grass from Rs. 7|- to Rs. 8|- per 1000 lbs.

It is requested that the rates be now fixed as above with an increase of 5 p.c. to cover the contingency.

We beg further to request that the system of obtaining Permits for import of fodder into Bombay and the Suburbs be now abolished as that does not tend to benefit the purchasers in anyway.

Over Rs. 75 Lakhs Claim Against Tata Steel Co.

Suit By Second Preference Shareholders: Hearing Before Special Bench Of High Court

An important suit involving a claim for over Rs. 75 lakhs against the Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd., now being heard by a Special Bench of the Bombay High Court consisting of the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Broomfield and Mr. Justice Kania.

The plaintiff, Bai Lalita Ratan chand Khimchand claims an order against the Company to pay her and all other holders of second preference shares of the Company the amounts deducted by the Company as income tax out of the dividends payable to them during the last 10 years

THREE CLASSES OF SHARES.

The plaintiff stated that there were three classes of shares issued by the Company, viz. preference, ordinary and deferred.

In 1918, the Company issued 700,000 second preference shares of Rs. 100 each on certain terms and conditions, mentioned in a resolution of the Company, which conferred on the shareholders the right to a fixed cumulative dividend of 7 1/2 p.c. without any deduction of income tax.

From 1926 to 1935-6, it was alleged, the Company wrongfully deducted income tax from dividends paid to second preference shareholders The amount so deducted during the period came to Rs. 75,67,532-9-1. The Company in fact, did not pay any income-tax to the Government

The Company having contracted to pay 7 1/2 p.c. dividend to the shareholders were not entitled to deduct anything for income-tax out of the same.

THE DEFENCE.

The suit was contested by the Company. They stated that the plaintiff and others held the shares on the term and conditions mentioned in a circular which provided that "income-tax on the second preference share dividends will be paid by the holders of such shares." The Company were, therefore, entitled to deduct the income-tax from the dividend on such shares.

The case is proceeding.

WARDHA PARLEYS

(Continued from Page 1).

At a time, it looked like coming to a decision to-night, as Mahatmaji did not leave the meeting even after 7-30, but the Press was informed that the Committee will sit again to-morrow afternoon when, it is expected, it will come to a decision.—United Press.

DRAFTING FINAL RESOLUTION

Gandhiji Closeted With Leaders

(From Our Correspondent)

WARDHA, Sept. 12.

Gandhiji accompanied by Sardar and Jawaharlal arrived here for the meeting of the Working Committee at 2-45 p. m. though the meeting was scheduled for 2.

It is reported the delay is due to the discussion of the resolutions which Pandit Jawaharlal drafted in consultation with Moulana Azad and Dr. Bidan Chandra Ray in the morning.

Pandit Jawaharlal went to Shegaon at 10 a. m. and remained there for over four hours.

Sardar later joined Pandit Jawaharlal at Shegaon. The invitees arrived at 4 p. m. and emerged out at 7 p. m.

Sjt. Kripalani announced that the meeting adjourned till 2 p. m to-morrow. The invitees and Gandhiji are attending to-morrow's meeting.

Sjt. Subhas Chandra Bose is leaving for Nagpur to-morrow morning and would not attend the deliberations. Dr. Roy is leaving for Calcutta by the morning Mail.

Unless an eleventh hour change upsets the forecast position the Working Committee, it is understood, would not disturb parliamentary programme and will ask Government to handover real powers to India before it gives decision. Gandhiji, Babu Rajendra Prasad, Pandit Jawaharlal and Sardar did not come out of the meeting place and have been closeted drafting the final resolution for to-morrow.

The decision would be known by the evening. At 9 p. m. Gandhiji was still at Wardha discussing with the members of the Working Committee.

Gandhiji Leaves For Shegaon

WARDHAGANJ, Sept. 12.

After careful examination and giving necessary touches to Pandit Nehru's draft resolution, Mahatma Gandhi left for Shegaon at 10-30 p.m.

A little further discussion is expected in the morning, so that the Working Committee will have the resolution ready for final consideration and acceptance.

Dr. B. C. Roy has cancelled his passage as the Working Committee will finish its deliberations tomorrow. He will be starting for Calcutta on Thursday.—United Press.

Jinnah Refuses Invitation

WARDHAGANJ, Sept. 12.

The Associated Press understands that an invitation was extended to Mr. Jinnah, President of the All-India Muslim League by the Congress President on behalf of the Working Committee to attend the meeting of Congress leaders now going on in Wardha but that Mr. Jinnah has expressed his inability to do so in view of his pre-occupations in Delhi.

An authoritative statement on the subject is expected to be made by the Congress President this afternoon. Meanwhile it is generally believed here that as Mr. Jinnah is unable to come to Wardha now, there may be no further opportunity for contacting him before the Committee comes to a final decision on the question of War.—A.P.

NO ELIMINATION OF "FORWARD BLOC"

Rajen Babu's Assurance To Frontier Congressmen

WARDHAGANJ, Sept. 12.

Mr. Akbarshah, a member of the N. W. F. Provincial Congress Committee and General Secretary of the Provincial 'Forward Bloc' in a statement to the "United Press," says:—

"Some prominent members of the Frontier Provincial Congress Committee are trying to persuade the High Command to permit the Frontier Congress to eliminate the 'Forward Bloc' and other parties from the Congress in the province. The Working Committee of the Provincial Congress met on September 10 and passed a resolution to the above effect. According to a telegram received by me, it seems that some prominent Congressmen of the province allege that the High Command has already concurred."

Continuing Mr. Akbarshah says that he had a talk with the General Secretary and the Congress President, who assured him that nothing had been done so far by the Working Committee, and the procedure was that the Provincial Congress had to frame the constitution and the Working Committee had to see that there was nothing in it which clashed with the all-India constitution.

He, therefore, wants to inform the members of the 'Forward Bloc' of the Frontier Province that it is absolutely wrong to state that the All-India Congress Committee has agreed to the above action of the Provincial Congress Committee, as the Rashtrapati and the General Secretary assured him that the Frontier Congress would not be given any special concession.—United Press.

NATIONAL DEMAND

Gandhiji Giving Touches To Draft Resolution

WARDHAGANJ, Sept. 12.

Although it is now 10 p.m. and the Working Committee dispersed at 7-30 p.m., Gandhiji is busy giving touches here and there to the draft resolution of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. Babu Rajendra Prasad, Moulana Abul Kalam Azad, Pandit Jawaharlal and Dr. B. C. Roy were closeted together to give final shape to it.

It is believed that Pandit Nehru's draft resolution addressed itself to Britain and reminded her of what it did in the case of Abyssinia and Czechoslovakia and how India's aspirations remained unfulfilled after the Great War. The Congress, wanted to know what Britain was going to do in the case of India, now that England said it was fighting for democracy. The resolution, therefore, wanted definite practical gestures from England, and in the meantime appealed to the Nation to be organised and tranquil.

It is further believed that Gandhiji will be delegated with authority to proceed in the matter and advise the Working Committee as to future line of action. To all appearances, members were anxious for accommodating Gandhiji, so that it may not be difficult for him to accept leadership should any occasion arise.—United Press.

Wall-Street Buying In New York Cotton

SUBSIDY EXTENDED TO CANADA AND MEXICO

Trade Support And Hedge Selling

BOMBAY, September 12.

With effect from Monday, the Cotton Export Subsidy Programme was extended to Canada, Mexico and other nearby countries to which it was hitherto not applicable.

Despite Bombay selling, the New York Cotton was firm and prices rose under trade price fixing and scarcity of offerings.

There was Wall Street buying against hedging and realising.

It is anticipated that there could be change in the Neutrality Act and there was extensive buying.

The New York cotton market opened steady on Monday in moderately active trading, prices advanced on Wall-Street, local and professional buying in sympathy with the strength of stocks but reacted partially on increased hedging and profit-taking on favourable. Weather reports. Buyers were hesitant, owing to advance in of spot prices to levels permitting profitable repossessions of loan stocks. Finally renewed price fixing and WallStreet buying developed and the session closed steady.

NEW YORK PRICES.

At the opening October was quoted 9 points up at 9.09 which was the lowest level and prices advanced to 9.35 which was the highest level. There was some realising and hedging which depressed prices but the market again improved and closed at a net rise of 23 to 28 points. Spot cotton prices advanced 29 points at 9.64c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

The New Orleans cotton market was fairly firm and closed at a rise of 19 to 25 points. Spot cotton prices were raised 25 points at 9.50c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

The Liverpool market opened at a rise of 25 points with October 6.45. Large accumulated demand easily absorbed American hedging in January. There was heavy persistent American selling and hedging. Scattered liquidation was absorbed by heavy trade calling. The market closed at a net rise of 5 to 15 points. Middling American Spot cotton prices advanced 25 points at 7.28d. per lb.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Egyptian cotton market was steady. Giza futures advanced 22 to 14 points and Uppers closed 13 to 10 points higher. The Alexandria cotton market was firm. Sakels advanced 60 to 53 points and Ashmouni futures gained 57 to 52 points.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

While early in the week cotton was less enthusiastic than other markets apparently due to uncertainty over probable effects of the hostilities on exports and consumption abroad, the market advanced spiritedly with trading activest for several years on the belief gained ground that the war in the long run will prove bullish for American cotton.

Voluminous hedge selling was really absorbed by aggressive trade price-fixing and mill buying reflecting feverish buying of cotton goods at advancing prices with sales so far this week estimated at 400,000,000 yards.

Wall Street and public participation increased while foreign buying was chiefly from Bombay which bought on narrower differences. In the meanwhile supplies seem ample for all needs even with a year or two of reduced production. At the same time it is not known what Government may do with its huge holdings although no releases are anticipated at prevailing prices.

PRIVATE CABLES—

New York Old October highest (10-13 a.m.) ..... 9.35+35

New York Old October lowest (10 a.m.) ..... 9.08+09

Messrs. Devkaran Nanjee have received the following cable from their New York friends:—

'Trade price fixing exceeded hedge sales.'

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co. Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:—

Liverpool: Advance attracted sales. Believed American straddle reversing.

New York: Hedge and profit selling absorbed by trade and speculative buying.

NEW YORK COTTON

New Contracts

New York, Sept 11

OCTOBER	9.42+29
DECEMBER	9.37+28
JANUARY	9.32+28
MARCH	9.26+14
MAY	9.13+23
JULY	9.09+29

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Sept 11

October	9.29+29
December	9.20+25
January	9.16+27
March	9.08+28
May	8.94+28
July	8.88+28
Middling Spot	9.64+29

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, Sept 11

October	9.36+19
December	9.30+25
January	9.25+25
Middling Spot	9.50+25

NEW YORK

New York, Sept 11

11 A.M. RANGES—

October	9.22/9.22
December	9.17/9.16
March	9.05/9.05

NOON CALL—

October	9.13
December	9.08
March	8.96

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS

New York, Sept 11

Day's receipts at all U S Ports	44,000 bales
Day's exports to Great Britain	12,000 bales
Day's exports to the Continent	5,000 bales
Day's exports to China and Japan	1,000 bales

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Sept 11

September	6.44+11
October	6.31+11
November	6.28+06
December	6.26+05
January	6.17+04
February	6.12+09
March	6.07+14
April	5.98+15
May	5.90+17
June	5.82+18
July	5.75+20
October	5.51+25
January	5.45+25
March	5.42+25
May	5.39+25
Middling Spot	7.28+25
	11-12 a.m. quotations
October	6.45
January	6.38

Railway's Audited Returns

	For June 1939.	Increase + or Decrease — when compared with June '38.	Increase + or Decrease — when compared with corresponding period of previous year.
			From 1-1-39 to 30-6-39
Tapti Valley Rly.	Rs 1,75,804	+ Rs. 4,889	Rs. 13,62,214 — Rs. 1,95,748
Ahmedabad Prantej Railway	Rs. 96,522	+ Rs. 6,100	Rs. 6,28,820 + Rs. 31,230
			From 1-4-39 to 30-6-39
Gujerat Railways	Rs. 39,896	+ Rs. 460	Rs. 1,32,896 — Rs. 17,176
			From 1-10-38 to 30-6-39
Central Prov. Rlys.	Rs. 39,088	— Rs. 12,353	Rs. 4,42,633 — Rs. 45,690
Mandra Bhon Rly.	Rs. 14,271	— Rs. 404	Rs. 1,29,576 + Rs. 3,466
Siafkot Narowal Rly.	Rs. 30,536	— Rs. 4,594	Rs. 3,03,844 — Rs. 10,584

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, Sept 9

Broach A/M highest 188 1/4 lowest 183 1/2 closing 187

Oomra D/J highest 173 lowest 169 1/2 closing 172 3/4

Bengal D/J highest 144 lowest 140 closing 143 1/2

Night session: Broach A/M opening 186 3/4 highest 186 3/4 lowest 182 1/4 closing 183.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Sept 11

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	£68
Indian stock 3 per cent 1948	£66 1/4
Indian stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£79 1/4
Indian stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£106
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£62 1/4
Conversion loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£87 1/2
War loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£88 1/2
Funding loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£102 1/2
Victory Bonds	£102
Chartered Bank of I A and China	£6 3/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg	£70
National Bank of India	£27

Produce Receipts

Bombay, Sept 12

Wheat	5,813 cwts.
Linseed	5,747 cwts.
Rape, Raj and Mustardseeds	11 cwts.
Poppyseed	169 cwts.
Groundnuts	3,533 cwts.
Castorseed	408 cwts.
Myrabollams	555 cwts.
Cottonseed	2,023 cwts.
Gram	425 cwts.
Joowar	287 cwts.
Barley	288 cwts.
Bajree	1,712 cwts.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Sept 11

T T London on:—

New York	4.02/4.06
Paris	175/176 1/2
Berlin	unquoted
Madrid	unquoted
Montreal	4.32/4.36
Amsterdam	7.57/7.54
Brussels	23.50/23.50
Milan	unquoted
Berne	17.86/18.04
Copenhagen	unquoted
Stockholm	16.89/17.06
Oslo	17.79/17.96

BOMBAY COTTON

BOMBAY, Sept. 12.

Following a rise of 29 points in New York Cotton futures, the local market was expected to open at Rs. 190 for Broach A.-M. delivery but the market opened firm at Rs 192-8 and declined to Rs. 191 on general long liquidation. Later on there was renewed buying and prices advanced to Rs. 193 but realising appeared and prices again eased off to Rs. 192. The tone of the market was firm.

Spirit of accommodation exists among cotton Brokers and with a view to pass over the coming settlement, there is a move to take eight annas in a rupee from those who are unable to meet their liabilities in full.

Liverpool Market opened at a rise of 10 points and the local market was steady with Broach A.-M. quoted at Rs. 192-8. The market finally closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

	Rs.	as.	p.
F. G. M. G. Broach, A.-May	189	0	0
Fine M. G. Oomra, D.-Jan.	176	8	0
F. G. M. G. Bengal, D.-Jan.	144	8	0

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, Sept 12

Bengal	—
Bengal Fine	155/57
Bengal F G	152/54
C P :	190/92
C P 2	186/88
Berar	186/88
Khandesh	180/82
Jalna/Sallu	183/86
Khandwa	186/88
Broach	195/96
Punjab 4 F	—
Punjab 289 F	—
Sindh N T	—
Surat	241/46
Navsari	261/66
Western Farm	216/21

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, Sept. 12.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

Since 1st September.

In full-pressed Bales.

	9-9-39	This year.	Last year.
Khandesh			54
Central India		215	4,296
Barsi and Nagar	716	1,440	211
Berar	49	49	978
Central Provinces		167	1,069
Total Oomras	765	1,871	6,628
Dholera	26	227	1,670
N.-W. Provinces		50	2
Rajputana	128	688	123
Sind-Punjab	156	1,275	641
Broach			1,265
Coompta and Dharwar	418	703	463
Westerns-Northerns	113	227	764
Tinnevelly and Cambodia			275
Egyptian, African and Sudan	523	1,008	3,289
Total	2,129	6,047	15,123
Arrived by road to 31st Aug. 39		392,855	...

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept. to 31st Aug.

In full-pressed Bales

	9-9-39	This year.	Last year.
Europe	145	323,166	353,629
Japan and China	11,436	1,402,540	803,266
Coast Ports		36,231	63,621
Up-country by Rail		298,275	397,323
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan		2,921	1,530
Total	11,581	2,063,133	1,618,369

American Cotton Figures

	1939-40	1938-39
F F Bales		
Receipts to date 11-9-39	840000	676000
Receipts yesterday 11-9-39	44000	42000
Exports to date 11-9-39	37900	375000
Stock at Ports 8-9-39	2280000	2562000
Stock at Interior Towns 8-9-39	2485000	2401000
Stock at Liverpool 8-9-39	107000	1157000
Visible Supply 8-9-39	5052000	5861000
Quantity in sight 8-9-39	1236000	1031000
Quantity out of sight 8-9-39	764000	789000

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, Sept 11

SAKELS—	
November	15.30+60
January	15.30+57
March	15.33+53
ASHMOUNI—	
October	12.17+67
December	12.29+63
February	12.45+60
April	12.47+52
June	12.47+52
GIZA—	
November	14.24+57
January	14.38+56
March	14.50+66

Egyptian Cotton

Liverpool, Sept 11

GIZA 2—	
Spot	8.99+25
October	8.11+22
November	8.16+22
January	8.12+18
March	8.10+16
May	8.08+14
July	8.05+14
UPPERS—	
Spot	8.14+25
October	7.17+18
November	7.17+13
January	7.07+13
March	7.00+10
May	7.00+13

LONDON RUBBER

London, Sept 11

Smoked sheets standard ribbed per lb	10 1/4
Sellers	

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Sept 12

Yesterday London gold prices were unchanged at £8-8-0. London Paris Exchange rate was 175 to 176 1/2. Dollar Sterling cross rate was 4.02 to 4.06 at London and 4.04 3/4 at New York.

London silver prices declined 3/8d. at 20 15/16d. for Spot and forward quotation was marked down 3/8d. at 20 15/16d. India and speculators sold and the support was small. New York Spot silver prices were reduced 5/8c at 36 7/8 cents per ounce. Shanghai T T on London is quoted 3 1/2d. London Bombay Spot parity is Rs. 56-2-6.

The monthly valan is to-morrow and the local market ruled fairly steady with a moderate demand. Gold was also steady. Silver opened at Rs. 56/8 and advanced to Rs. 57. Quotations were as under:

GOLD

Ready	40	5	0
Bhadrapad delivery	40	3	0
Bhadrapad Tejimandi	1	4	0
Aso delivery	40	2	0
Aso Tejimandi	2	0	0

SILVER

Ready	57	4	0
Bhadrapad delivery	57	0	0
Bhadrapad Tejimandi	3	8	0
Aso delivery	56	14	0
Aso Tejimandi	4	8	0

LONDON SILVER

London, Sept 11

Spot	20 15/16
Forward	20 15/16

LONDON GOLD

London, Sept 11

Gold Bars Fine per oz	£8-8-0

Bombay Metals

Bombay, Sept 12

London market— Market closed.			
Bombay market—			
Yellow metal sheet	Rs.	52	0 0
Copper sheets	Rs.	66	0 0
Tone: Firm.			

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, Sept 12

Castorseeds Sept—			
Opening	34	4	0
Highest	34	8	0
Lowest	34	4	0
Closing	34	8	0
Castorseeds May—			
Opening	35	2	0
Highest	35	12	0
Lowest	35	2	0
Closing	35	8	0
Groundnuts Feb—			
Opening	34	5	0
Highest	34	7	0
Lowest	33	15	0
Closing	34	0	0
Cottonseeds Sept—			
Opening	29	15	0
Highest	30	12	0
Lowest	29	15	0
Closing	30	10	0
Cottonseeds Jan—			
Opening	23	12	0
Highest	23	14	0
Lowest	23	8	0
Closing	23	9	6

Wheat Chicago

Chicago, Sept 11

September	dol. 0.83 7/8
December	dol. 0.83 7/8
May	dol. 0.65

AMERICAN WHEAT CROP

Bombay, Sept 12

The Chicago wheat market was encouraged by fresh speculative buying and a lessening of hedge pressure on intimations of moderate export business in Canadian wheat.

The U. S. A. Bureau Report was as follows: (Production in million bushels)

Winter wheat 1st Sept 1939 551; 1st Aug 1939 551; Final 1938 687; Average 1927-36 546.

Spring wheat 1st Sept 1939 186; 1st August 1939 180; Final 1938 244; Average 1927-36 206.

Total 1st Sept 1939 737; 1st Aug 1939 731; Final 1938 931; Average 1927-36 752.

Linseed 1st Sept 1939 17.2; 1st Aug. 1939 15.8; Final 1938 8.2; Average 1927-36 13.8.

HAPUR WHEAT

Hapur, Sept 12

Wheat ready	Rs.	2	14 3
Bhadon		2	14 3
Mangsir		2	14 10
Gram ready		3	4 10
Bhadon		3	4 5
Mangsir		3	3 10
Barley ready		2	7 6
Bhadon		2	7 6
Mangsir		2	7 6
Peas ready		2	12 6
Bhadon		2	12 6
Mangsir		2	12 6
Arhar ready		0	15 0
Bhadon		2	15 0
Mangsir		2	15 9
Cottonseed ready		2	7 9
Maize ready		2	7 9
Najrana Bhadon		0	2 9
Mangsir		0	6 3

Uncertain unstimulating outside advices.

New York Sugar

New York, Sept 11

November	2.68
January	2.64
March	2.66
May	2.70

KARACHI MARKET

Karachi, Sept 12

To-day's closing quotations:—

Sind cotton January	17	0	6
Punjab January	14	15	0
Desi American January	20	12	0
Tone: Steady.			
Wheat September	25	3	6
November	25	14	6
January	26	11	0
July	25	9	0
Tone: Steady.			
Gram September	31	7	3
November	31	14	3
January	32	2	9
July	27	13	0
Toria September	36	15	6
November	37	0	0
February	37	8	0
Cottonseed September	27	7	0
January	30	7	0

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Sept 12

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 Loan	92/8
3 1/2 per cent G P Notes (Cash)	88/14
3 per cent 1951/54 Loan	93/8
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	99
3 per cent 1963/65 Loan	89/8
3 1/2 per cent 1947-50 Loan	96/10
4 per cent 1943 Bond	99
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan	100
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 Loan	106/8
5 per cent 1940-43 Loan	100/8
TAXFREE LOANS	
5 per cent 1945-55 Loan	104/4
4 per cent 1953-63 Mysore Loan	108
5 per cent 1955 Mysore Loan	116
CORPORATION DEBENTURES	
4 per cent B P T 1974	100
4 per cent M Deb 1974	102
5 per cent M Deb 1959	108
6 per cent M Deb 1954	119
6 per cent K P T 1956	120

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Sept 12

B. C. RATES—

T T D D 1/5 7/8

LONDON—

Bank's selling T T D D 1/5 29/32 Sept. 15/16 Oct.

Bank's buying T T 1/5 31/32 12th Oct/ 12th Nov.

Bank's buying D D 1/6 3/32 One month.

Bank's buying 3 months 1/6 11/32 One month.

NEW YORK—

Bank's selling T T 344 nominal

Bank's buying T T 326 nominal

Bank's buying D D 325 nominal

PARIS—

Bank's selling T T 1,265

Bank's buying T T 1,355

JAPAN—

Bank's selling T T 79

Bank's buying T T 77 3/4

Bank's buying 60 days 77

AMSTERDAM—

Bank's selling D D 54

JAVA—

Bank's selling D D 53 3/4 nominal

HONGKONG—

Bank's selling D D 86 nominal

SHANGHAI—

Bank's selling D D 26 nominal

SINGAPORE—

Bank's selling D D 158 1/2

BERLIN—

Bank's selling D D —

CROSS RATE—

Hongkong London 1/2 31/32 12th instant

Shanghai London 0/3 31/32 12th instant

Japan London 1/2 1/64 12th instant

Java London 7.55/7.62 12th instant

New York London 4.04 1/2 11th instant

London New York 4.02/6 11th instant

London Paris 175/6 1/2 11th instant

London Italy — 11th instant

London Belgium 23.50/80 11th instant

London Switzerland 17.86/18.04 11th instant

London Berlin — 11th instant

London Stockholm 16.89/17.06 11th instant

London Amsterdam 7.57/7.64 11th instant

Tone of Sterling Exchange: Steady.

Gold £8-8-0 11th instant

Silver London Ready 20 15/16 11th instant

Silver London Forward 20 15/16 11th instant

Silver New York Ready 36 1/8 11th instant

London discounts 3 months 3 3/4 per cent 11th instant

London Discounts 6 months 5 1/2 per cent 11th instant

Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.

Bank of England Rate 4 per cent.

Money:—Call 1 per cent.

3 months 1 3/4 per cent

6 months 2 per cent

Tone:—Steadier.

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

London, Sept 11

Call Loan London	3 per cent
3 per cent	66 1/4
3 1/2 per cent	79 1/4
3 1/2 per cent 1954/59	94
4 per cent 1948/53	100
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	106
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	107
5 per cent 1942/47	104
3 per cent 1949/52	92
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	62 1/4
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	88 1/2
4 per cent Funding Loan 1960/90	102 1/2
Indian Iron and Steel New Ordinary	50

Bombay Yarn Quotations

Bombay, Sept 12

Yarn No. 6 1/2s—			
October	115	0	0
December	115	0	0
February	116	0	0
Yarn No. 10 1/2s—			
October	131	0	0
December	132	0	0
February	133	0	0
Yarn No. 20 1/2s—			
October	162	0	0
December	163	0	0
February	164	0	0
Yarn No. 40s—			
October	225	0	0
December	225	0	0
February	226	0	0

TATA HYDRO-ELECTRIC OUTPUT

Total Units Generated

Messrs. Tata Hydro-Electric Agencies Limited, Agents for the Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Co. Ltd., the Andhra Valley Power Supply Co. Ltd., and the Tata Power Company, Limited, report that the total electrical (Board of Trade) units generated at the three Stations (Khopoli, Bhivpuri and Bhira) of the Hydro Group were as follows:—

36th Week (ended September 9th)

1937	12,857,400
1938	12,816,900
1939	12,560,700
Total for 36 Weeks (1st January to date)—	
1937	444,861,400
1938	512,642,600
1939	481,937,900

For the calendar month of August 1939, the total units of energy generated at the three Stations amounted to 57,518,200 and the total units sold by the three Companies to 49,343,445.

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

BOMBAY, Sept. 12.

The local Share Bazar remained closed for forward business on account of settlement. In the cash section there was better enquiry and the tone was steady.

TEXTILE SHARES

BOMBAY, Sept. 12

100	Amed. Advance	300	0
250	BOM. DYEING	937	8
100	CENTURY	274	0
100	CENTRAL INDIA	290	0
100	COLABA	146	0
100	Coorla	84	0
250	David	25	0
250	Dawn	285	0
1	E. D. Sassoon	0	9
100	Finlay	110	0
100	GOKAK	183	0
1,000	Hindustan	1660	0
100	Indore	30	12
100	Khatau	119	0
100	KOHINOOR	293	0
250	Laxmi	417	8
250	Madras United	25	0
100	MORARJI	130	0
250	Model	38	8
50	MYSORE	100	0
200	NEW GREAT	244	0
100	Osmanshahi	41	0
100	PHOENIX	272	8
25	SASSOON SILK	69	4
50	SIMPLEX	91	0
100	SWADESHI	266	0
1,000	Sholapur	2,600	0
100	SWAN	105	0
500	Vishnu	1,000	0
1,000	Western	850	0
	BANKS		
50-100	Baroda	89	0
35-50	Central	26	8
500	Imperial	1320	0
125-500	Imp. Conty	315	0
50-100	India	118	0
100	Reserve Bank	95	0
5	Union	5	13
	CEMENTS		
100	ASSOCIATED	130	8
	INSURANCE		
100	Empire	640	0
15-100	Jupiter	12	10
20	Mercantile	56	0
15-75	New India	29	8
200	Oriental	4,300	0
10-50	Vulcan	7	1
	ELECTRIC		
100	And. Old	143	2
1,000	ANDHRA VALLEY	1385	0
10	Ajmer	11	2
50	BOMBAY TRAM	117	8
100	Bombay Suburban	165	0
10	Broach	10	11
100	Karachi	191	4
100	Poona	183	8
100	Surat	161	4
100	TATA HYDRO	141	0
1,000	TATA POWERS	1227	8
	RAILWAYS		
500	Ahmedabad Prantij	1,002	8
100	C. Province	92	0
100	Dn. Baramati	XD 99	10
100	Gujarat	90	0
100	Mandra Bhon	100	0
100	Pachora Jamner	83	13
100	Sara Serajganj	102	0
500	Tapti Valley	757	8
	MININGS		
9	Burma Corp	7	2
2sh.	Indian Copper	2	14
10	Indian Iron and Steel	36	4
10	SHIVRAJPUR	47	0
30	TATA STEEL DEFD.	1737	8
75	TATA STEEL ORD	345	0
	MISCELLANEOUS		
100	ALCOCK	500	0
10	Air Service	6	0
50	BELAPUR SUGAR	192	0
200	Bombay Safe Dep	102	8
250	BOMBAY STEAM	281	0
125	B. BURMA	530	0
50	B. BURMA CONTY	170	0
8sh.	Br. B. Petrol	5	7
50	BOMBAY TELEPHONE	79	8
100	IND. BLEACHING	109	0
50	Ind Invest Trust	44	4
100	I. Radio Defd.	347	8
100	I. Radio Ord.	340	0
100	Port Canning	75	12
30	PREMIER CON.	75-8	
15	Scindia	24	2
25	Tata Oil Mill	50	0
	PREFERENCE		
7	p.c. Andhra Valley	1,482	8
6	p.c. Bombay Steam	297	8
7	p. c. Bom. Tram (T.F.)	70	0
5	p.c. Central India (T.F.)	560	0
6-1/4	p.c. Prem Const 1st	110	4
6½	p. c. Prem Const 2nd	89	8
7	p. c. Tata Hydro	135	0
7 1/2	p.c. Tata Power	1562	8
6	p.c. Tata Steel 1st Pref.	205	10
7½	p.c. Tata Steel 2nd	150	0
7	p. c. Vishnu	675	0
	DEBENTURES		
3-3/4	p.c. Andhra Valley	101	12
6	p.c. Andhra Valley	104	8
4	p.c. Bombay Telephone	52	8
7	p.c. Sholapur	78	6
6	p.c. Tata Hydro	105	6

(Capital Letters indicate Shares on Forward List.)

SHARP RISE IN NEW YORK SHARES

On Monday New York Shares registered a sharp rise. U. S. Steel shares advanced 8 dollars at 77-3/4 and Anaconda coppers gained 1-1/4 at 28-1/8 dollar. The turnover was over 4-1-2 million shares.

The market was firm as a result of a rush of buying orders for war stocks from all parts of the country, based on expectations that the Neutrality Act will be amended.

U. S. Steel activity was 70.2 per cent against 58 per cent. last week.

CUSTOMS REVENUE

Indian Customs Revenue and Central Excise revenue excluding Salt revenue amounted Rs. 3,630,000 for the month of August 1939.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, Sept 12

	GOVERNMENT SECURITIES	
3	1,2 per cent	N 89
4	per cent 1960/70	N 103
5	per cent 1945/55	N 105
	BANKS	
	Bank of Baroda	89
	Bank of Hindusthan	27/4
	Bank of India	118
	Central Bank	28
	Imperial Bank F P	1310
	Imperial Bank P P	215
	Indian Overseas Bank	47
	Reserve Bank	94/8
	Union Bank	5/-2
	TEXTILES	
	Ahmd New Textiles	360
	Ambica	261/4
	Arun	250
	Arvind	12/0
	Asok	205
	Bharatkhand Textiles	1900
	Bombay Dyeing	960
	Calico	684/8
	Central India	290
	Century	280
	Colaba	150
	Elgin	103/12
	Gokak	188/2
	Hukumchand	165/10
	Indore Malwa	20/10
	Jubilee	260
	Khatau Makanji	118/12
	Kohinoor	3
	Laxmi Cotton	510
	Madhusudan	2/0
	Marsden	117/8
	Morarji	130
	Mysore	100
	Nandlal Bhandari	77/4
	New Great	255
	Raipur	700
	Rajnagar	170
	Sajjan	97/8
	Sassoon and Alliance	69
	Sholapur	2600
	Simplex	93/12
	Swadeshi	270
	Vishnu	1000
	HYDRO ELECTRICS	
	Andhra Valley Ord	1385
	Tata Hydro Ord	140/10
	Tata Power Ord	1225
	ELECTRICS	
	Ahmedabad Electrics	143/2
	Ajmer Electrics	11/2
	Amalgamated	—
	Bombay Suburban	165
	Bombay Tram	117/8
	Lahore Electrics	225
	Surat Electrics	161/4
	MISCELLANEOUS	
	Alcock Ashdown	502/8
	Associated Cements	915
	Belapur	155
	Bombay Burma New	490
	Bombay Burma Old	540
	Bombay Steam	281/4
	Bombay Telephone	79/8
	Br B Petrol	5/8
	Burma Corporation	7/8
	Dalmia Cement	11/2
	Indian Bleaching	109/4
	Industrial Investment Tr	44/4
	Indian Radio Ord	348/12
	Indian Radio Defd	332/1
	Indian Copper	2/12
	Indian Iron	55/12
	Mysore Sugar	37/8
	Port Canning	75/12
	Premier Construction	7/8
	Rohtas Industries	2/8
	Scindia Steam	23/2
	Shivrajpur	49/8
	Steam Conv of Bangalore	18/14
	Tata Oil	48
	Tata Steel Ordy	356
	Tata Steel Defd	1815
	JUTES	
	Birla Jute	20/4
	Howrah	50/10
	Hukumchand	4/4
	Kamarhatty	545
	Kanknarrah	427
	Lawrence	410
	Reliance	64
	DELIVERY OF SHARES	

Following Delivery Slips have been issued to-day:

B. B. Petrols	500
Burma Corporations	300
Indian Copper Corporations	500
Oriental Life	5

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Sept 11

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dollars.
American Power and Light Common	5
American Power and Light 5 per cent Pfd	36 1/8
Electric Power and Light 7 per cent Pfd.	29 3/4
Electric Bond and Share Common	8 5/8
Int Tel and Tel 1852	46
American Tel and Tel	164 1/4
Western Union Telegraph	29
Great Northern Pfd	29 1/2
New York Central R R	18 7/8
Liggette Myers 'B'	98
Loews Inc 6 per cent Pfd	103
Sun Life of Canada	340
National Biscuits	24
Urion Carbon and Carbide	92 1/2
Amrex Corporation	15 1/4
Consolidated Oil	9 1/2
Socony	14 7/8
United States Steel	77 3/4
Bethlehem Steel	82
Urucible Steel	48 1/4
Republic Steel	27 7/8
U. S. Smelting	49
Anaconda Copper Mining	38 1/8
Int Nickel of Canada	44 3/4
Chrysler Motors	81
General Motors	54 1/2
Packard Motors	4 1/8
General Electric	40 5/8
Lockheed	30 3/4
Brooklyn Manhattan Transit	10 1/8
Woolworth	38
St. Oil of New Jersey	52
Texas Corporation	49 3/4
Chase National Bank	34 3/4
National City Bank of N Y	27 3/4

Turnover 4,680,000 shares. U. S. Steel Corporation shipped 803422 tons finished Steel in

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FOUR AMENDING BILLS PASSED

M. L. A. DEMANDS COPIES OF EVIDENCE BEFORE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

SIMLA, Sept. 12.

THE ASSEMBLY HELD A BRIEF SITTING LASTING AN HOUR AND A HALF DURING WHICH IT DISPOSED OF FOUR MINOR OFFICIAL BILLS AND OTHER OFFICIAL BUSINESS ENTERED BOTH FOR TO-DAY AND FOR TO-MORROW AND THEREAFTER ADJOURNED TILL THURSDAY.

Sir Zafrullah Khan, Leader of the House, presented the report of the Select Committee on the Defence of India Bill and announced that further consideration of it would be taken up on Thursday.

For the larger part of to-day's sitting not more than three members of the Opposition Parties were present in the House.

OFFICIAL BILLS PASSED

The four official Bills passed were the Indian Railways Act Amendment Bill, giving power to the Federal Railway Authority to fix maximum and minimum rates, the Bill to Repeal or Amend Certain Enactments, the Indian Carriage by Air Act Amendment Bill and the Indian Rubber Control Act Amendment Bill to implement the revised international agreement, which has come into force from January, 1939, to regulate the production and export of rubber.

Sir Jeremy Raisman moved that the report of the Public Accounts Committee for 1937-38 be taken into consideration.

DEMAND FOR COPIES OF EVIDENCE

Mr. Nauman proposed that consideration of the report be postponed till members were supplied with copies of the evidence before the Committee.

The Finance Member agreed to the proposal on the understanding that members would be prepared to get on with the consideration of the report on a day next week. The printing of the evidence was well in hand, he said, and copies would be provided soon. He pointed out, however, that the discussions in the Committee were of such an informal character that the record of the evidence could not be taken to be complete and precise.

EXCESS GRANTS

The House passed practically without discussion excess grants aggregating nearly Rs. 98 lakhs for 1937|38. On the last grant of Rs. 27 under Ajmer-Merwara for 1936-37, the Finance Member explained that the House in an earlier session had negatived the grant and the object of the Party, which opposed the motion then was to indicate their dissatisfaction with certain matters. In accordance with constitutional practice, however, the expenditure which had been incurred in 1936-37 ought to be regularised, and the Public Accounts Committee before which it came up felt that this should not remain an unliquidated blot in the financial history of the country.

Sir George Spence, Secretary, Legislative Department, pointed out that the rules only provided that a subject on which decision had been taken could not be brought up again in the same session.

Mr. Lalchand Navalrai declared that the House having expressed displeasure against the grant, it was not right to bring it up again.

The President said that the matter should stand over pending his rule on the question whether it was in order.—A.P.

Hon. Mr. Mangaldas Pakwas., (centre) President of the Bombay Legislative Council, inaugurated the Mogveera Free Night High School, Bombay, on Sunday last.

PIONEERS OF TO-MORROW

Bajaj's Advice To Jaipur Students

(From Our Correspondent).

JAIPUR, Sept. 10.

"Students of to-day, you are pioneers of to-morrow. You must not, therefore, be led away by mere sentiments. Your enthusiasm should be tempered with reason and you must learn to observe the highest discipline, if you expect the same in return, when you grow old," declared Seth Jamnalal Bajaj while replying to an address presented to him by the Jaipur Students Federation, on Saturday last.

With regard to active participation in national struggle, Sethji stressed that students should not give up their studies unless there is a definite call from the nation to that effect. But when the call came, they had got to respond cheerfully and make the best of sacrifices. Till, then he added there were other constructive activities in which they could devote their part-time energies. He advised them to use only Khadi and Swadeshi.

A purse of Rs. 51 was also presented to Seth Saheb for Prajamandal work. Pandit Hiralal Shastri and Chiranjiva Lal Misra exhorted the students to imbibe the advice given by Seth Saheb.

SELFLESS WORK OF MOGAVEERS

Hon. Pakvasa Inaugurates Free Night High School

The inauguration of the Mogaveera Free Night High School was performed by the Hon. Mr. M. M. Pakvasa, President, Legislative Council, Bombay on September 10. The Hall was packed to its utmost capacity. At the outset Mr. N. K. Bangera, President of the Mandali welcomed the guest and the Hon. Mr. Pakvasa with the words appropriate on the occasion.

Hon. Mr. M. M. Pakvasa in the course of his inspiring speech said:—

In the beginning I must congratulate very heartily the Mandali on their splendid good work done hitherto in the field of education. It is really remarkable it has to its credit a large amount of good work during the last many years The sources of income of the Mandali are not very much. Their sources are really too short for rapid progress and development. But the Mandali have served in a way which other institutions and other people are unable to serve. All the same it is creditable to the Mandali that it has so far been able to widen its activities by mere strenuous efforts of selfless workers

I have heard a complaint that the Mandali is doing such remarkable work, it is not receiving sufficient help from the Municipality or from the Government. I do not know why it is so. If any institution there is which needs help it is this, and there is no reason why both the Municipality and the Government should not help this institution. It is said that, unless we have got money, we cannot achieve many things, but money comes to those who really deserve and work for it.

Selfless work of the helpless people is the best work. We work with the poor and, therefore, I have belonged to a class of workers who work amongst the poor and in that spirit that I congratulate the Mandali for their self-help and self-reliance, which are the best help. I find that the Mandali is self-reliant in its activities. This Mandali will be entitled to be helped by the Municipality and the Government and its needs will soon disappear. This Mandali has before it a good vista, and if the spirit which is at present prevailing among the members of the Mandali, we will see in the near future better and more magnificent results.

I wish every one of you success, long life and prosperity and also I wish every one of you to become torch-bearers of peace and non-violence after the present war is over."

With a vote of thanks the function terminated.

U. P.'S ACTING PREMIER

Kidwai To Officiate For Pant

LUCKNOW, September 12.

The Hon. Mr. Rafi Ahmad Kidwai, Minister for Revenue, U.P., will officiate as the Premier of the United Provinces during the absence of the Premier Pandit G. B. Pant, who was ordered by his medical advisers to take complete rest for two months.—United Press.

ANCIENT BRONZE RELIC FOUND IN SIAM

BANGKOK, (By Mail).

The National Museum in Bangkok has added one more to its collection of relics of ancient times in Siam. Some of these relics were discovered as a result of excavations carried out this year at Nakon Pathom, on the Southern line, by representatives of the Ecole Francais and d'Extreme Orient at Hanoi, these have already been placed on exhibit.

Altogether 32 pieces of stone carvings and two of bronze have been selected for Bangkok, the remainder being kept at the branch museum at Nakon Bathom.

Notable among the newly discovered relics are a stone carvings of a "Dvaravapal', or guardians of the doors, and a perfect miniature bronze figure of Buddha.

INDIA'S SYMPATHY FOR POLES IN HEROIC FIGHT

Sir J. Prasad Urges The Country To Support The "Most Righteous Of Wars"

SIMLA: September 12.

In the Council of State to-day Pandit Hirdaynath Kunzru's adjournment motion regarding Government's decisions on the Chatfield Report was postponed till Monday next. The Council adopted a resolution expressing sympathy with Poland after a long debate, wherein a number of speakers supported the resolution.—United Press.

Proceedings In Detail

The Council of State which began its Autumn session this morning passed a motion expressing "profound admiration of Poland's heroic struggle against wanton aggression and complete confidence that the undaunted spirit of their people and the unflinching determination of their allies will ultimately lead them to victory."

Kunwar Sir Jagdish Prasad, Leader of the House, in moving the resolution said: "I can say with complete assurance that the sympathies of all sections of Indian opinion are with France and England and Poland, for the people of India realise that what is at stake is not merely the freedom of Poland but the freedom of mankind. At such a momentous period when the future of civilisation hangs in the balance it seems to me that it is not enough for us in this country merely to express our sympathy. Time is for action. Our sympathies must be translated into deeds. We must not remain listless spectators of a heroic struggle. We could make no greater contribution to the preservation of civilised existence than to throw our whole weight into this struggle.

NOT TIME FOR BARGAINING.

"There are some who have doubts and misgivings and who ask 'is our help to be unconditional? Should we not take advantage of this struggle to obtain further political privileges for our people?"

"I hope the Hon. members will bear with me for a moment if I place before them my own view as an Indian on this issue. Let us not ignore the psychological effect on people in England. How will the British people engaged in a life and death struggle over an issue with which we fully agree, regard our action if we make our help conditional on the completion of a political bargain? Considering the great human and moral issues over which this struggle is being waged it seems to me that it will be in keeping with our spiritual tradition, that it will be in harmony with the highest teaching of our saints and philosophers if we perform our obvious duty without thought of reward or profit. We will fight for the right because it is the right, and with that motive alone."

UNITED EFFORT.

A united war effort will be the best solvent of our internal differences. I have not a shadow of doubt in my own mind that we should throw ourselves into this tremendous issue with only one thought, the complete destruction of the doctrine of force in the settlement of human differences. Let us waste no more time in disputation and argument, but plunge with all our might in support of this most righteous of wars, and the thought that we have shared in this struggle will add inestimably to the moral stature of our people. As the immediate result of the victory of the democratic powers, we shall as a people be able to hold our head high before the nations of the world and we will have gained an accession of spiritual strength which will lead our people irresistibly to its destined place among the free nations of the world.

BURMA MINISTRY PASSES CRISIS

Fate Of No-Confidence Motion

RANGOON, Sept. 12.

The motion of no-confidence in the Ministry moved in the House of Representatives to-day was defeated by 68 votes to 51 European members voted against the motion, while 6 Indian members voted in favour of it.

Leave to move this motion had been sought by U. Ba. Yin on September 8, when the Speaker had fixed September 12 for its discussion.—A.P.

ATTAULLAH SHAH BUKHARI ARRESTED

RAWALPINDI, Sept. 11.

Syed Attaullah Shah Bukhari, a prominent Ahrar leader, was produced to-day before Mr. Inder Nath, Additional District, Magistrate, Rawalpindi, on charges of waging war against the King, disseminating seditious matter, promoting enmity and hatred among different communities and incitement to murder, in connection with a speech he delivered at Rawalpindi on June 3.

The Magistrate rejected the bail application preferred on behalf of the accused, remarking that only the Sessions Judge was empowered to listen to the bail application.

The case was adjourned till September 20 next.—A. P.

STOCKING COAL FOR RAILWAYS

To Avoid Pressure Of Traffic In Busy Season

CALCUTTA, Sept. 12.

It is understood that the Chief Commissioner of the Railway Board has communicated to coal-trading organisations that owing to the international situation the E.B., E.I., N.W., A.B., B.N., B.B. & C.I., B & N W and R K. Railways have been instructed to endeavour to build up stock of coal during September, October and November in order to avoid use of wagons for carriage of railway coal during busy season and coal traders are requested to meet increased demand for coal.—United Press.

NEW VICTORIA MILLS REOPENED

CAWNPORE, Sept. 12.

The management of the new Victoria Mills which declared a lock-out six weeks ago re-opened the mills to-day.

The District Magistrate has issued an order under Section 144 Cr. P. C. prohibiting the public for a period of two months from frequenting or using the area within half a mile of the New Victoria Mills, and from sitting, standing, or loitering on the roads within the area.—A. P.

ROLE OF SCIENCE IN HORRORS OF MODERN WARFARE

Lady Lumley Emphasises Its Right Use For Benefit Of Humanity At The Opening Of Science Block Of Wadia College

(From Our Correspondent.)

POONA, Sept. 12.

Speaking at the opening of the new Science Block of the Wadia College, Poona, on Tuesday, Lady Lumley said:—

Your Principal Mr. Joag has referred to the great crisis which has come upon on the world. I feel sure that the thought of the events which have led to my presence here, in place of my husband this afternoon, must be very present in the minds of us all. We deplore the calamity which has overtaken Europe and the effects which must be felt throughout the world: but the shadow under which we meet to-day cannot destroy my pleasure in being here, for there could not be an occasion better suited than this to relieve our hearts for a while of some of the sadness that must find its dwelling place there.

As the catastrophe which has threatened for so long, and which we all so earnestly desired might be averted, has overtaken the world, in spite of the best efforts of sincere and peace-loving men, our hope must once more lie in a future in which the present dangers and difficulties have passed away. Once more we must concentrate on the right education of youth so that calamities such as these may at last become impossible.

History shows that, in spite of some grievous setbacks, knowledge has tended ever to advance and its store to increase. Throughout the ages there have been devoted scholars and teachers eager to promote the knowledge of those around them and to instruct their fellowmen in the arts of peace. These men have attracted to them students ardent in the pursuit of learning and a civilized way of life.

PROGRESS OF WADIA COLLEGE

It is in the midst of a noble endeavour of this kind that we have gathered to-day. The Wadia College, has, since the time it was opened, little more than seven years ago, made very great strides, and has well fulfilled the hopes of those whose endeavours first brought it into being. Now, thanks in great part to the generosity of Mr. Vicaji Taraporevala, the College has been provided with a Science Institute the splendid nature and equipment of which I have been able to see for myself. I congratulate Mr. Taraporevala on his splendid gift. I am glad to hear that affiliation for the teaching of the Bachelor of Science courses in Mathematics, Chemistry and Botany has been granted, and I trust that the further development which you seek will also, in its turn, come about. I trust too that in spite of other calls to which the state of war must give rise you will be successful in obtaining the finance that you require so that the Wadia College cannot only continue its present most useful work without diminution but even extend the scope of its teaching

RIGHT USE OF SCIENCE

The opening of a Science Institute is of peculiar significance today. The thought may be in the minds of many that science in some of its aspects has proved a curse rather than a blessing to mankind—that scientific knowledge has made possible the horrors of modern warfare. Such an indictment of science has, I think, no good foundation. It is not knowledge in itself but the abuse

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Edgar Wallace Detective Story: Day By Day

INSPECTOR WADE — THE POISON THORN

AS BIG BEN TOLLS MIDNIGHT OVER LONDON
HERE'S TH' LOOT FROM THE JEWELRY STORE JOB, MAGDA, I SAY WE OUGHT TO DIVVY UP AND GET OUT O' HERE/
YES, JAGGER --- BUT NOT UNTIL I GO OVER THE NEXT JOB YOU'RE GOING TO DO/
TWELVE O'CLOCK/ TIME TO DO A LITTLE INVESTIGATING/

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